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# ELMO COUPLE WED 65 YEARS

MR. AND MRS. GEO. H. RACE QUIETLY OBSERVE DAY.

## IN COUNTY 42 YEARS

Came Here From Illinois And Settled One Mile North Of Where Dawson Is Now.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Race of Elmo are quietly observing their sixty-fifth wedding anniversary today.

This pioneer couple will be 86 years old in September, Mrs. Race being about two weeks older than her husband. They have resided in Nodaway County for forty-two years( coming here from Piatt County, Illinois.

In one of those old-fashioned "sitting rooms," rapidly becoming only a memory of the days gone by, Mr. and Mrs. Race told their story of a sixty-five-year partnership. A comfortable rocking chair seemed to aid in recalling events of the past. On the walls were many family pictures and occupying a prominent place on a table was the old album—another relic of another period in American home life.

As far as can be ascertained, Mr. and Mrs. Race have been married longer than any other couple in Nodaway County. Both are in good health although Mr. Race suffers occasional attacks of rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Race were married February 6, 1861 at the home of the latter's parents in Fulton County, Illinois. Mrs. Race's maiden name was Miss Mary Ann McBride. She is of Irish descent and Mr. Race is Scotch.

A few years after their marriage they moved to Piatt County, Illinois, and in 1884 came to Nodaway County, where Mr. Race bought 120 acres of land one mile north of where Dawson is now. Neither Burlington Junction nor Elmo were in existence at that time. Mr. Race paid $3,000 cash for the land, or $25 per acre. Mr. Race has been offered $250 an acre for the forty acres he still owns but does not wish to sell it. The remaining eighty acres were given to his two children a number of years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Race moved to Elmo about two years ago.

They have one child, a daughter, Mrs. Tom Wiley of Maryville. Their son died a number of years ago.

They have several grandchildren and a number of other relatives living in Nodaway County.

Mr. Race was born in Salzburg, Conn., in September, 1840. A short time before, his parents had come to America from Scotland. His father was a Scottish Knight Templar. His mother died when he was but two days old. While living at Aurora, Ill., his father married again and because of the treatment by his step-mother, the son ran away from home. A short time later he learned that his father had died, and he decided not to return home.

Thirty-nine years later, however, he learned that his father was still alive. A friend of his was at Winfield, Kan., where he met an uncle of Mr. Race's Noticing the family resemblance, he told the uncle who immediately wrote Mr. Race and informed him that his father, who was street commissioner of Chicago, for forty-five years, was still alive. Mr. Race then went to see his father.

Mrs. Race is a native of Fulton County, Illinois, and lived there until her marriage.

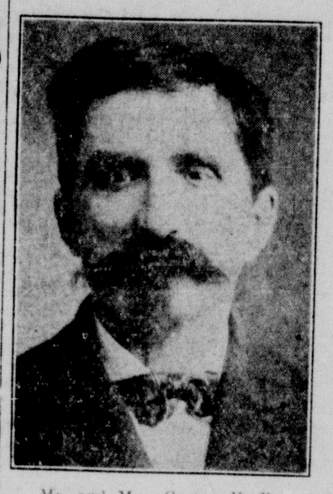
Mr. Race is a charter member of the G. A. R. Post at Elmo, having served in the Civil War in the 148th Illinois infantry, Company B, as color bearer. He has been receiving a pension since 1873.

## Winter Rites Held at St. Joseph This A. M.

Funeral services for William W. Winter, a brother of Mrs. Emma Woodard of Maryville, were conducted at the residence in St. Joseph at 11 o'clock this morning. The burial was at Mount Mora cemetery.

Mr. Winter died at 10:50 o'clock Thursday morning at his home in St. Joseph. He was 73 years old. Besides the sister in Maryville, he is survived by one daughter, Mrs. R. L. Mallett, St. Joseph; one son, G. E. Winter; two brothers, G. W. Winter, Hopkins, and O. T. Winter, Stanberry; and two sisters, Mrs. S. J. Mckee, St. Joseph, and Mrs. Mary McLaughlin, Burlington Junction.

## *Elmo Couple Married 65 Years*



Mr. and Mrs. George H. Race have been married longer than any other couple in Nodaway County, it is believed.

# SERVICE UNITS HERE UNITED

VETERANS ASSOCIATION FORMED AT MEETING.

## RESULTS N HARMONY

V. F. W. Rooms To Be Temporary Headquarters Of All Organizations.—To Co-Operate In Activities.

The Veterans Association of Maryville is in official existence today as a result of a meeting last night of representatives of the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars and United Spanish War Veterans. The constitution and by-laws of the new organization were approved and greater harmony in the future is assured.

The association includes members of all three service organizations in Maryville. Temporary headquarters will be at the V. F. W. rooms on North Main street. These rooms are now open to any member of the association at all times.

Fern Crull, Roy Mayes and Harry D. Snyder were named as members of the executive committee of the Veterans Association. Walter S. Todd was chosen secretary and treasurer.

Members of the association will participate in all patriotic programs in Maryville and will co-operate in various events, the first to be held within the next few weeks.

Plans are underway for the organization of a veterans orchestra to be composed of the three service posts of Maryville.

The American Legion and auxiliary posts will hold their regular meeting at the V. F. W. rooms Monday night at which time officers of both organizations will be installed.

The meeting dates of all service organizations have been arranged as follows:

United Spanish War veterans and auxiliary, first Monday night in each month.

American Legion—Second and fourth Monday nights in each month.

American Legion Auxiliary—First and third Tuesday nights in each month.

Veterans of Foreign Wars—Second and fourth Thursday nights in each month.

Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary—Second and fourth Tuesday nights in each month.

G. A. R. and W. R. C.—First Saturday afternoon in each month.

All meetings, for the next few weeks at least, will be held at the V. F. W. rooms.

The organization of the Veterans Association is the culmination of a concerted effort for co-operation between the various veterans organizations in Maryville. This "harmony" movement has been in progress for some time and last night's meeting officially brought it to realization.

## To Give Pageant at Men's Bible Class

The beginners class at the First Christian Church, taught by Miss Florence Young, will give a short pageant on, "The Birth of Christ" at the regular meeting of the Men's Bible Class in the I. O. O. F. rooms at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning. All men, not members of other Sunday school classes in the city, are invited to the meeting at the I. O. O. F., hall tomorrow morning.

# COUNTY FARM CLUBS ELECT

JOE HOLADAY, BARNARD, HEADS NODAWAY M. F. A.

## DIRECTORS SELECTED

Small Attendance Prevents Action on Questions of Policy.—New Board Meets Soon.

At a meeting held at the courthouse yesterday, Joe Holaday of Barnard was elected president of the Nodaway County association of Farm Clubs, the local units of the Missouri Farmers' Association.

William Needles of Ravenwood was chosen as vice-president, and John Bosch of Pickering will continue as secretary and treasurer until the meeting of the new board of directors.

Directors were chosen by townships as follows:

North Independence, Fletcher Bainum, Sheridan.

South Independence, John Hovenkotter, Parnell.

Jackson, E. D. Lawson, Ravenwood.

Jefferson, John McManus, Conception Junction.

Washington, John Q. Beggs, Guilford.

Grant, L. W. Mendenhall, Barnard.

White Cloud, O. K. Smith, Barnard.

South Polk, Elmer Froyd, Conception Junction.

North Polk, A. B. Dowden, Maryville.

Union, C. R. Harman, Pickering.

Green, Noah Duncan, Quitman.

Hughes, William Mountjoy, Graham.

No directors were chosen from Atchison, Hopkins, Nodaway, Lincoln and Monroe townships.

A general discussion of policies was held, but no action was taken because of the small attendance. The new board of directors will meet soon and outline a program for the year.

## Paving Resolutions Are Finally Passed

Council Also Grants Theater Building Permit and Orders Light Put Near New Gymnasium.

The five paving resolutions introduced a week ago before the City Council were finally adopted last night. The law provides that seven days elapse between introduction and passage.

The Council ordered a light placed at Normal and Munn avenues, just east of the new gymnasium of the State Teachers College.

J. F. Cook's application for a permit to erect a theater building of estimated value of $35,000 at 118-120 North Main street, was granted. Excavation for this structure already has begun, and a building at the rear of the site is being torn down.

Charles C. Tebow was given permission to plant two hard maple trees in the parkway in front of his home at 409 West Third street. A city ordinance provides that no trees nor shrubs shall be set out within the boundaries of any street without first getting the sanction of the council. It is designed chiefly to prevent the planting of trees in such places that their roots might cause obstructions in sidewalks and render the city liable for damages in case of accidents.

James Pistole of Hopkins, Joseph McGarry of Elmo and P. R. Growney of Conception Junction were among the business visitors in Maryville yesterday.

# WOULD BREAK M'GAREY WILL

CHILDREN OF CONCEPTION JCT. MAN BRINGS CONTEST.

## PETITION IS AMENDED

Otho L. Robey Changes Document Filed Against Estate Of Arthur S. Robey.

A suit involving the will of the late John McGarey of Conception Junction was filed in circuit court today by Mary L. Maher, Claretta Meyers, Gertrude Dalrymple and Bernard L. McGarey, with Mrs. Rebecca J. McGarey, the widow, and Dennis J. McGarey as defendants.

The document being contested was drawn on January 15, 1917, five days before McGarey's death. It was not entered for probate until January 29, 1926, and yesterday Mrs. McGarey was formally named in probate as executrix.

The will gives $1 to each of the children, Mary, Clare, Bernard, Gertrude and Dennis, and then bequeaths "the entire rest of my property, real as well as personal" to the widow.

The children bringing the contest charge that the instrument is not the last will and testament of McGarey for the following reasons:

"Because said instrument was not executed as required by the laws of the State of Missouri.

"Because the said John McGarey was not at the time of the execution thereof of sound and disposing mind and memory, and was wholly incapable of making a valid will.

"Because the said John McGarey, in the execution of said instrument, acted in obedience to the will of the defendants, Rebecca J. McGarey and Dennis J. McGarey, . . . . by reason of which the same is not the free and voluntary act of the said John McGarey; that the said John McGarey was at the time of the execution of said instrument about —— years of age, decrepit, feeble in mind and health and died within five days after the execution of said instrument."

### Amends Petition.

An amended petition also was filed in the partition suit of Otho L. Robey and others against Arthur S. Robey and others, involving the estate of the late Arthur S. Robey, well known real estate dealer and former mayor of Maryville.

The original suit made the widow, Mrs. Estella M. Robey, one of the defendants to the suit but she died on January 20. The amended petition names as the defendants Arthur S. Robey, a son of the later mayor, Mrs. Ellen Spencer, mother of the widow; Mrs. Virginia Crull, daughter of Mrs. Robey by a former marriage, and James B. Robinson, executor of the estate of Estella M. Robey. The plaintiffs are the sons of Mr. Robey by a former marriage: Otho L., Donald L., J. Russell, Paul C. and L. LaVerne Robey.

### Reiterates Demand.

The amended petition reiterates the demand for a partition by sale of the property making up the estate and division of the proceeds by giving one-seventh to each of the plaintiff, three-fourteenths to Arthur S. Robey and one-fourteenth to Mrs. Crull. It would diminish the shares of the last two, however, by charging them with rent at the rate of $75 a month from January 20 for the use of the Robey home on West Fourth street, which they are now occupying.

In an answer filed some time ago, the defendants contended that the property cannot be sold advantageously at this time. It includes both business and residence property in Maryville and Skidmore.

## Charges Death Plot For Soviet Officers

Gun Battle, Resulting in Three Deaths Near Riga, Prompts Statement.

Moscow, Feb. 6.—The soviet government, in a semi-official statement today, charges existence of a well-laid international plot for the assassination of soviet representatives. The statement was prompted by a gun battle between two soviet diplomatic officials and two bandits near Riga resulting in the death of one officer and both bandits.

### Fined For Reckless Driving.

Marvin Logan plead guilty in police court today to a charge of reckless driving and paid a fine of $10 and costs. The alleged offense occurred on last July 11, when Logan ran into a Shoemaker-Bovard truck.

# CIVIL SERVICE FOR DRY MEN

UNDER PROVISIONS OF BILL FROM HOUSE.

## AMENDMENTS READY

Mellon Places Approval On Program Drawn Up By Gen. Lincoln Andrews.

Washington, Feb. 6. — Prohibition agents, field officers and clerical officers are to be placed under civil service by the provisions of a bill favorably reported today from the House civil service committee.

The legislation was recommended by General Lincoln C. Andrews, assistant Secretary of Treasury, in charge of prohibition enforcement, and was indorsed by the wet and dry forces in Congress.

Washington, Feb. 6—Andrew Mellon, Secretary of Treasury, was ready today to submit to Congress a series of amendments to the dry law.

Mellon placed his approval on a program drawn up by General Lincoln C. Andrews, prohibition czar. Andrews drafted the services of Andrew J. Volstead, former Representative from Minnesota, author of the dry law, and other dry leaders in preparing the amendments.

A conference has been held with Attorney-General Sargent who is understood to have ruled that the legislative proposals meet all Constitutional requirements.

It was disclosed that the Volstead act does not exactly mean what its author intended. There are many glaring loopholes through which bootleggers have been able to climb.

Washington, Feb. 6.—A bureau of prohibition to take over the prohibition enforcement duties of the internal revenue bureau would be created in the treasury department, in a bill introduced in the Senate today by Senator Smoot, Utah Republican.

The bill would also create a bureau of customs to take over the duties of the customs service.

A commissioner appointed by the Secretary of the Treasury would be placed at the head of each of the new bureaus. His salary would be $10,000 per year.

The bureau of prohibition would have charge of the enforcement of the national prohibition act and also the narcotic act.

## Quitman Woman Dies at Home Last Night

Mrs. Rosanna Bird, Resident of That Vicinity for Half Century, Succumbs Following Extended Illness.

Mrs. Rosanna Bird, widow of John Bird, a resident of the Quitman vicinity for half a century, died at 11 o'clock last night at her home in Quitman. She had been ill for two years of a complication of diseases.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Methodist Church in Quitman, the Rev. J. H. Fanning officiating. Burial will be in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

Mrs. Bird was born Aug. 29, 1850, at Fort Kennedy, Pa. Mr. Bird died Aug. 6, 1906. Surviving are four sons, Judge Daniel E., Fred A., Charles J., and J. R. Bird, of Kansas City; and two daughters, Mrs. Fannie Davis and Miss Golda Bird of Quitman, all of whom were at her bedside when she passed away. She also leaves one sister, Mrs. Mary Runyon of Kansas City.

## Fillmore Robbers Are Sentenced to Prison

St. Joseph Man Gets Fifteen Years and Clarksdale Bandit Ten Years in Penitentiary.

St. Joseph, Feb. 6.—Ernest Tolbert of St. Joseph was sentenced to fifteen years in the penitentiary and Melvin Wheeler of Clarksdale, farmer, drew ten years when they pleaded guilty in the circuit court at Savannah today to robbing the Round Prairie Bank at Fillmore on December 18, last.

They are brothers-in-law and obtained $3,000 in the robbery. The money was found hidden under a coal pile at Tolbert's home two days later.

## Indication of General Hike in Bread Prices

Kansas City, Feb. 6.—A general increase in the price of bread here was forecast when a local baking company today announced a hike in price.

## Mitchell Preparing to Leave Capital on Tour

First Lecture Engagement Will Be at Carnegie Hall, New York City, February 10

Washington, Feb. 6—William Mitchell was packing his trunks and preparing to shake the dust of Washington off his civilian boots today.

Early next week he is to start on what he calls his "barnstorming" lecture tour of the country which, close friends say, is going to bring him in more money than ten or fifteen years in the army on half pay would have done.

The former flier's first engagement will be at Carnegie Hall, New York City, on February 10. A house of 3,000 or 4,000 has been promised.

# SAYS DEFENSE IN GOOD SHAPE

SECRETARY DAVIS ANSWERS THE ARMY CRITICS.

## NO NEED FOR ALARM

War Department "Opens Up" For the First Time Since Mitchell Trial—Coontz Asks More Planes.

New York, Feb. 6.—The war department broke its long silence in the air controversy today and for the first time since William Mitchell, its chief critic, was court martialled, answered the charges which had been hurled out against it by the fiery flier.

Dwight F. Davis, Secretary of War, championed the general staff against its foes in an address to the National Republican Club.

"There is no reason to be panicy about the condition of our air service," was Davis' answer. He denied that the war department is dominated by bureaucracy and reactionary forces, as charged by Mitchell.

His own stand, he said, was in the "middle road" between the extremists on both sides of the controversy over defense problems.

Davis admitted that there was need of improvement of air service but he added that it was not a need which was so serious that the country ought to worry.

On the contrary, he asserted, America is abreast, if not ahead of the other nations in the air.

At the very outset of his speech, Davis made it plain that he did not approve of the Mitchell type in his army.

Washington, Feb. 6.—A strong recommendation that the navy at once take steps to overcome its deficiency in air personnel and equipment was contained in the annual report of Rear Admiral Robert E. Coontz, who recently retired as high commander of the fleet, it was learned today.

Coontz's report, which was suppressed and rendered to the House naval affairs committee in secret, stressed the fleet's lack of planes and pilots and need for additional aircraft carriers.

This feature of the report occasioned considerable surprise in view of the "hard boiled" attitude taken by the navy's general board against Mitchell's charges that the navy was badly deficient in its air equipment.

## One Killed, Fifteen Injured in Car Crash

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 6.—One man was killed, fifteen persons were seriously injured and forty others were bruised and shaken when a crowded street car broke from control in the Shelby avenue terminal here today and after speeding for a half-mile leaped down a steep hill and crashed into the rear-end of another crowded trolley.

## Postponed Notices Are Sent by League

Geneva, Feb. 6.—The League of Nations today sent out official announcement of the postponement of the preliminary disarmament conference which had been scheduled to meet on February 15. Ten member nations of the Council of the League concurred in the postponement.

## Have Fewer Hogs But Value Is Greater Now

Jefferson City, Feb. 6—Missouri farmers in 1926 have 3,671,000 hogs compared with 3,864,000 one year ago. They are valued at $48,824,000 against $55,935,000 in January, 1925.

# NEARS CLIMAX ON PUBLICITY

SENATE TO VOTE SOON ON INCOME TAX PROVISION.

## THREE PROPOSALS IN

One Would Make All Tax Records Public To Inspection—Internal Revenue Bureau Defended.

Washington, Feb. 6.—A battle over income tax publicity neared a climax in the Senate today with the progressives demanding not only complete publicity of all income tax returns but full publicity of all tax rulings of the treasury department.

"Congress levies the taxes in the open and then the treasury department turns the taxes in secrecy," said Senator Heflin, Democrat of Alabama, "and the progressive group has made it its slogan."

Three publicity proposals are now before the Senate. One is by Senator Norris, Republican of Nebraska, would make all income tax records open to public inspection. Senator Couzens, Republican of Michigan, is sponsoring a similar bill, while Senator McKellar, Democrat of Tennessee, would restore the existing publicity law, which affects only the amount of tax paid.

The publicity advocates are hopeful of victory. Administration leaders will not predict the outcome but directed their efforts to hastening the final vote.

Washington, Feb. 6.—The internal revenue bureau of absolved of all charges of "irregularities and fraud" in administering the tax law, involving thirty billion dollars in revenue, by a minority report of the Couzens committee filed in the Senate today by Senator Ernst, Republican of Kentucky.

Ernst and Senator Watson, Republican of Indiana, declared the bureau is entitled to the "respect, admiration and praise of Congress" for the efficient way in which it handled tax matters.

The majority report of the committee, signed by Senators Couzens, Republican of Michigan, King, Democrat of Utah, and Jones, Democrat of New Mexico, was condemned as "biased and unfair."

## Senate Again Refuses Action on Coal Strike

Defeats Motion on Copeland Resolution for President to Negotiate a Settlement.

Washington, Feb. 6.—For the second time in two days, the Senate, this afternoon, refused to take any action toward settling the anthracite coal strike. By a vote of forty-three to thirty-eight the Senate defeated a motion by Senator Copeland, Democrat of New York, for immediate consideration of his resolution calling on the President to negotiate a settlement of the strike.

## Liberty Prosecutor Is Under Arrest Again

Another Indictment Returned Against Clay County Prosecutor And He Is Released On $2,000 Bond.

Liberty, Mo., Feb. 6.—Raymond Cummins, prosecuting attorney of Clay County, was arrested here today following his indictment on a charge of bribery. He was released on $2,000 bond.

The latest indictment follows five previous ones against the prosecutor charging irregularities in the administration of his office. Ouster proceedings are now pending against Cummins.

## Rowdy Gates Dies in Greeley This Morning

Is Brother of Ira Gates of Elmo; and Clem Gates of Wilcox.

Rowdy Gates of Greeley, Colo., 55, a brother of Ira Gates of Elmo and until twenty years ago a resident of Elmo, died about 2:30 o'clock this morning of paralysis. He is survived by a wife, four children: Basil, Colorado; Mrs. Rosa St. Clair, Wyoming; Orville, and Cecil, Greeley, Colo.

Besides Ira, there are five other brothers: Clem, Wilcox; Larie, Iowa; Everette, Oakville, Ia.; Clarence and Sanford, Aledo, Ill.

The funeral will be held in Greeley.

## Weather

Generally fair tonight and Sunday.

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**THE COST OF DOING WITHOUT.**

Statistics of the Missouri State Highway Commission show that up to August 1, 1925, the amount of road contracts approved, totaled $80,668,141.15. Under the present Missouri law, the employers' liability rate, or cost of insurance for protection against accidents in road building is $3.63 for each one hundred dollars of the contractors payroll. Contractors state that approximately 60 per cent or $48,400,844.60 of the road money was expended for labor.

The cost of the same class of insurance in Kansas under a Workmen's Compensation law is $2.61 per $100 payroll, in Iowa $2.15 and in Illinois $2.50. The rate in Missouri, without a Workmen's Compensation law is $1.02 higher than Kansas, $1.48 higher than Iowa and $1.13 higher than Illinois.

Basing a comparison of the cost of the same character of insurance between Missouri and Kansas, on the amount spent thus far for highways in this state, the difference in the expense to the road contractors would total approximately $493,688.61. This amount or more, would have been saved for the taxpayers of Missouri, if a Workmen's Compensation law had been in operation, as the road contractor in making his bid on state work must add this cost to the price he charges for highway construction.

Missouri will have a Workmen's Compensation law after November, if the voters at the next election in this state will support the measure passed by the last Legislature, which was referred back to the people through the efforts of the damage-suit lawyers and some radical labor leaders.

**RAZOR AND ROUGE EQUALITY.**

Professor Ira B. Cross of the University of California was seriously annoyed by co-eds in his classes who freshened up their countenances during lectures. Finally Ira became cross and interrupted himself to express his opinion of students who made their toilettes in the classroom. He even went so far as to say that, in the interest of equal rights for both sexes, he saw no more reason why the women should be permitted to do this than the men.

The next day, to illustrate the professor's point, three young men brought their shaving equipment to class and as soon as the lecturer started they proceeded to lather their faces and shaved completely.

The professor was the first to applaud the act, while the co-eds, according to one report, actually blushed. The heroes were promised "A" grades for the term and the general hope seemed to be that the lesson would sink home in the hearts where it was most needed. Maybe it will.

Foreign nations are borrowing our money to buy our oil in order to save their own. Later on, they will be selling theirs to us a la rubber, if we are not careful.

## *Fifty Years Ago*

(Taken from the Nodaway Democrat, Feb. 3, 1876).

Captain John Grigsby brought to our office one day last week a number of stalks of mountain wheat grown by him on his fine farm in Hughes Township. The wheat is designed for stock and they are so fond of it that they will leave corn to eat it. In Mr. Grigsby's opinion, it makes as good roughness as corn fodder and will yield as much feed to the acre as two acres of corn.

M. Nusbaum moved the Baltimore clothing store last Monday to Schuster's block, two doors east of the postoffice. He now has a large convenient room and invites his friends to call and see him.

## Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"It don't do no good hardly to punish me. I can't feel a spankin' away inside where I'm mad."

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We now have a new law firm in town, that of Alderman & McIntyire. Judge Alderman has taken a partner in the firm in the person of J. F. McIntyre, a brother-in-law of G. W. Signs, who comes to our town highly recommended as a young attorney.

We learn from the Worth County Times that the total valuation of personal property in Worth County, as taken from the last assessment, is $564,440. The gain in valuation during the last year has been $103,230.

A grand festival was given by the ladies of Pickering chapter, No. 73, Eastern Star, at Pickering on last Wednesday evening. I. V. McMillan, Esq. delivered a very able address upon the occasion.

Rev. J. H. Delano, a noted Baptist clergyman of Blandinville, Ill., arrived in the city last Wednesday morning and is assisting Elder Huntley in carrying on a protracted meeting at the Baptist Church in this place.

Says the Page County (Iowa) Democrat: "Mr. W. T. Roland, who, for the past year, has conducted the livery stable at the southeast corner of the square, has concluded to take his stock and go to our neighboring town, Maryville. Since Mr. Roland has been here, he has made many friends who regret to know that he is going to leave our town, but their best wishes go with him and they commend him to the good people of Maryville."

We are requested to announce that the Advent Christian Chapel is now completed and plastered and made comfortable for worship. Services are being held in this church every Sabbath.

The real estate transfers for the week ending January 29, amounted to $23,702.

From our valued Jefferson township correspondent, we learn that the debating society at Conception recently discussed the question as to whether or not Jeff Davis should be excluded from amnesty. The discussion was very interesting and if the speeches were published, it might be that they would nearly equal some of the masterly efforts made in Congress.

**TWENTY YEARS AGO.**

We learn from Weather Reporter J. R. Brink that Jan. 8 was one degree below zero, and Feb. 5, the coldest morning of the winter so far, was four degrees below.

About the first of April, the First National Bank of this city will begin fine and extensive improvement in its building.

At their meeting Tuesday evening, White Cloud Lodge No. 92 I. O. O. F., of Maryville voted to observe their fiftieth anniversary in a manner befitting the occasion on Tuesday, March 20.

The real estate firm of Rowley & DeArmond has dissolved partnership, Mr. DeArmond going out. Mr. Rowley has associated himself with C. H. Barton of Shenandoah, Ia., formerly of this city.

The nineteenth annual meeting of the stockholders of the Poland China Record Association will be held at the Union Stock Yards in St. Joseph next Wednesday, Feb. 14. The board of directors will meet at the Secretary's office in this city on Tuesday, the 13th, and audit the books of Secretary Woodworth and Treasurer C. D. Bellows.

In some manner unknown, the Wabash passenger depot caught fire about midnight Tuesday night and was entirely destroyed. The freight depot will be used as a passenger depot for the present.

Since the paving was completed West First street is, or will, enjoy a building boom. E. D. Long is building a neat residence; the Gaunt sisters will erect two dwellings on their lots, corner First and Fillmore; Fred Douglas contemplates building across the street west of the Gaunt property, and Mr. Howard has contracted for the erection of a fine residence on his lots adjoining the Normal grounds, at the extreme west end of First street.

Read the Want Ads.

## The YELLOW STUB by Ernest Lynn

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BEGIN HERE TODAY.

HENRY RAND, middle-aged business man, expected home by his family to celebrate his son JIMMY'S 27th birthday, is found murdered in a cheap hotel.

The only clews are a woman's handkerchief and the stub of a yellow ticket from the Paragon Theater in Springfield.

Jimmy and DETECTIVE MOONEY go to Springfield where they trace the yellow stub to a THOMAS FOGARTY.

Jimmy's sister JANET, breaks her engagement with BARRY COLVIN, Jimmy's best friend. While Jimmy is in Springfield trying to run down the murderer, he meets MARY LOWELL.

Later he and Mooney confront Fogarty, who gives a plausible alibi and says he never used the theater ticket but gave it to a woman named Olga Maynard.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER X.

Jimmy and Detective Mooney left Fogarty, climbed into a taxicab, gave the driver the address Fogarty had shown them and settled back on the leather cushions.

"Well, Rand, our job's pretty near done. By God, I knew that handkerchief meant something!"

"Mooney," said Jimmy. "Do you think this woman killed my father? I don't."

Mooney patted him on the arm. "I know how you feel, Rand. You just can't square yourself with the fact that there was a woman mixed up in it. You know your father wasn't that kind. Isn't that it."

Rand nodded.

"Well, you'll probably get more than one jolt out of this before you're through. You can't get away from the fact that this Maynard woman was mixed up in the murder. Fogarty gives her his theater ticket. She says she's leaving the next day for Grafton. They find the ticket stub in the room—and a woman's handkerchief.

"Mind, I'm not sayin' she committed this murder. But she was in the room. She knows who did it. . . .Well, here we are. I'll pile out and see if she lives here."

The cab had stopped. Mooney sprang out and ran into an apartment building. . . . In a few minutes he was back. He gave the driver an address and climbed into the taxi.

"Just as I thought," he commented. "Doesn't live there any more. Moved away two weeks ago. The janitor gave me her forwarding address."

The cab stopped again. This time Jimmy jumped out with Mooney.

They found themselves on the porch of a rooming house. "Quite a comedown from that apartment," observed Mooney. "Probably found it hard to keep up with the rent, being out of a job."

He rang the bell. "The landlady will like this," he said. "It's after midnight."

A window opened on the second floor. . . . . Jimmy and the detective were down off the porch. A woman's head thrust itself out of the window.

"Lady live here by the name of Olga Maynard?" called Mooney.

"No. She moved out a week ago."

"Say where she was goin'?"

"She said she was leaving town." The window closed with a bang.

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The night yielded them nothing more. They went back to Fogarty's room, where that worthy furnished them with a description of Olga Maynard.

"Nothing more that I can do here," Mooney said to Jimmy later. "I'm taking the train tomorrow back to Grafton and see if I can run down the Maynard woman there. Before I go I'll report to the chief of police here and leave the handkerchief and ticket with him. And here's a card of introduction to the chief in case you run into a jam while you're here. You're staying, I take it?"

"I'm seeing it through, Mooney."

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The next morning Jimmy called at the offices of the Q. and R. Railroad.

"You see," he said to Mary Lowell, "It didn't take me long to take advantage of your offer. I can use that job—if there's one here."

She seemed pleased to see him. "I'm glad you did, Mr. Rand. I spoke about you to Mr. Hilton—he's the chief clerk—and he said to show you in if you came."

Mr. Hilton thought there was something he could do. "You came pretty well recommended," he added, turning toward Mary and smiling.

She blushed, and started typing furiously.

"How much education have you had?" asked the chief clerk.

"Two years of college. I didn't graduate. I enlisted during the war, and when it was over I didn't go back to school."

"What branch?"

"Air service."

"I see." Hilton surveyed the tall figure for a moment, then—"I think I'll take you on, Rand. Twenty-five a week is all I can give you to start. When can you begin?"

"I'm ready to take my coat off right now, Mr. Hilton."

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The passing days brought no word from Mooney, nor did they bring Rand any success in his search for Olga Maynard. Jimmy was a frequent visitor at police headquarters, where he had been referred by the chief to Lieutenant O'Day, a gruff old war horse whom Jimmy, nevertheless, liked instantly. . . .

He saw much of Mary. They had even met outside one day during lunch hour—quite accidentally—and had eaten together, she insisting on paying her own check.

He asked her to let him call. He had been trying for days to summon enough courage to ask her, and when he did he cursed himself for his schoolboy shyness and stammering.

"Why certainly," she said warmly, and made him sorry he hadn't asked her before.

Her mother was a widow. Her chief complaint against life, he found when he called, was the fact that Mary had to work.

The Lowells, he gathered from her conversation, had once "amounted to something."

"Mother does live so much in the past," Mary confided to Jimmy later. "When father was living we never thought about money. There seemed to be plenty of it. He died suddenly, and his affairs were not in the best of shape. What little money was left after things had been settled was soon gone. It was necessary for me to leave school. Mother thinks it perfectly dreadful to have to depend on me for support. . . .I rather like it myself. I'm perfectly thrilled about my work."

. . . . Jimmy got the impression of hostility on the part of Mrs. Lowell. He felt somehow that she hoped Mary would marry well—someone with a lot of money. . . . He felt uncomfortable in her presence.

A few nights later he took Mary to the theater.

"Don't let's go home just yet," he suggested afterward. Being alone with her had made him unaccountably gay.

The spoon that Jimmy had been toying with fell with a clatter to the floor.

"I feel like dissipating. What do you say if we go some place and get a bite to eat and dance?"

"Lovely," she agreed. "We'll go to the Cafe Madrid. The music there is wonderful."

They found the Madrid filled with a noisy crowd; they were lucky to get a table.

"You were right about the music," he declared when they were on the floor. . . . His arm was around her waist—he was breathing the fragrance of her hair. . . . He thrilled.

She seemed instinctively to anticipate every move he made—every suggestion of a step. He clamored vainly for an encore when the orchestra stopped playing.

"You seem as clever at dancing as you are at rescuing young ladies," she bantered when they were back at their table.

"Lady," he said, "the young man is speechless. I have been trying for two minutes to think of words to describe something—and there aren't any such words. . . . You dance like a—like a breath. There—that's as close as I can come."

She laughed, and impulsively reached over and mussed his hair with her hand—then immediately drew away in confusion. She blushed.

"Mr. Rand," she said, "You—"

"Not Mr. Rand," he interrupted, "Jimmy. I've already decided to call you Mary. Eventually, you know. Why not now?"

"I don't think Jimmy suits you," she said. "It's so—so diminutive. I think Jim fits you better. You're too big to be called Jimmy; it's too boyish. I was thinking, though, of what you said that night about hoping you wouldn't have to stay in Springfield. You've never told me what brought you here from Grafton."

He hesitated. "I've decided not to tell you just yet," he said. "Please," he urged at her look of inquiry, and took her hand, "please don't think it's a secret I'm afraid to confide in you. Let me tell you later."

She shrugged. "I'm sure it's not necessary." She withdrew her hand. There was an awkard pause.

In the silence that followed Jimmy heard clearly the snatches of conversation from an adjacent table. Two men were chatting idly over their coffee.

". . . Across the room there," he heard one say. "The blond. See her? Hang it, what's her name now? Oh, devil take it, I can never think of a name when I want to."

At the next words Jimmy started. The spoon that he had been toying with fell with a clatter to the floor.

"I've got it," one of the men was saying. "Maynard—that's her name. Olga Maynard. Some dame!—eh?"

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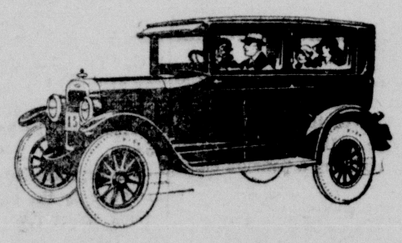

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# SOCIETY

**Jean MacKenzie Chapter.**

The Jean MacKenzie Chapter of the Westminster Guild will meet at 7:30 o'clock Monday night with Miss Lorena Gault, 419 West Second street.

**Arts and Crafts Meeting.**

The February meeting of the arts and crafts department of the Twentieth Century Club will be held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon in the basement room at the Elks Club.

**Literary Progressive Club.**

The Literary Progressive Club was entertained at the home of Mrs. I. A. Goodson in Ravenwood Thursday afternoon. The program adapted from the Mentor was arranged by Mrs. M. Goodson and Mrs. David Crater. These topics were discussed: The Hispanic Society; Examples of Spanish Art; The Basque People; Vasco da Gama; Rembrandt; and Anna Douglas Sedgwick. An interesting quiz included the following questions: How many countries now have a Republican form of government; Have Indians in the United States the right of citizenship and can they vote; What book is second to the Bible in circulation; and Where is the quotation "Where ignorance is bliss 'tis folly to be wise" found? During the social hour the hostess served refreshments, Mrs. S. P. Ross and Grace Helen Goodson assisting. The next meeting will be with Mrs. A. B. Crater on Feb. 18, when the program will be in charge of Mrs. D. M. Bishop and Mrs. M. L. Bentley. Those present at Thursday's meeting were Mrs. E. H. Sims, Mrs. M. L. Bentley, Mrs. F. S. Mathes, Mrs. D. J. Hunterson, Miss Nellie Sims, Mrs. M. Goodson, Mrs. David Crater, Mrs. Fred Lyle, Mrs. Phoebe Mow, Mrs. D. M. Bishop, Mrs. S. P. Ross and Mrs. A. B. Crater.

**Price Bridge Party.**

Mrs. Harry Price and Miss Matie Price were hostesses at a bridge party yesterday afternoon at the home of the latter on South Buchanan street, when they entertained thirty-six guests. Nine tables were arranged for the games. Mrs. Kenneth Fordyce won the prize for the high score and the consolation favor went to Mrs. H. G. Reece. Valentine ideas were carried out in the appointments and the two-course luncheon, served at the close of the games. The tables were centered with scarlet sweet peas in crystal baskets, tied with red maline. The hostesses were assisted in receiving and serving by Mrs. Joe Price and Mrs. Clifford Hull. The out-of-town guests included Mrs. Harris Danner of Oklahoma City, a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Gillam, and Mrs. Ralph Wray of Burlington Junction.

**Skidmore Study Club.**

The weekly meeting of the Skidmore Study Club was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Miss Lora Stulz. Guests of the club were Mrs. Mary Reece, Mrs. Stulz and Mrs. Harry Cowan. The meeting was called to order by the president and the minutes of last week's session were read and approved. Roll call was answered by one of H. G. Well's writings. The program follows: Madagascar, Mrs. Sylvia Argo; story, Mrs. Florence Bramble; piano duet, Miss Stulz and Mrs. Argo; H. G. Wells, Mrs. Pearl Fullerton; Borneo, Mrs. Argo. The hehmers present were Mrs. Sylvia Argo, Mrs. Leta Bodle, Mrs. Florence Bramble, Mrs. Anna Duval, Mrs. Pearl Fullerton, Mrs. Dora Lowrance and the hostess. Next week's meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Nita Worl.

**Program on Japan.**

The February meeting of Circle No. 4 of the Baptist Church was held last night at the home of Mrs. Angie Briggs on South Market street. After a short business meeting the following program on "The Whitening Field of Japan" was given: Hymn, "Holy Ghost With Light Divine;" scripture lesson, Mrs. May Jones; Prayer, Mrs Guy L. Prather; talk, "Darkness Enveloping Womanhood of Japan," Mrs. William Everhart; hymn, "Send the Light;" "Darkness of Imperialism in Japan," Mrs. F. A. Bush; vocal duet, Helen and Hazel Jones; "Light Through Christian Homes, Schools and Churches of Japan," Mrs. Ursle Crockett; "Building Home Mission Churches," Mrs. Angie Briggs; vocal solo, Miss Lois Cummings; and closing prayer, the Rev. Guy L. Prather. Eight members were present.

**For Oklahoma City Visitor.**

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Gillam will give a 7 o'clock dinner at their home tonight, when the former's cousin, Mrs. Harris Danner of Oklahoma City will be the honor guest. The dinner will be followed by bridge, played at three tables. Mrs. Danner arrived in Maryville Thursday evening to be the guest for two weeks of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Gillam. She will be remembered as Miss Helen Trueblood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Trueblood of Oklahoma City.

**Party at Job Home.**

The members of the Lasher Community Club and their families were entertained at a card party last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Job. The games were played at eight tables, the prizes for high score going to Miss Ella O'Grady and Otis Schenkel. The booby favors were won by Mrs. Byron Master and William Job, sr. Assisted by Miss Hazel Mitchell and Miss Mary Busby, the hostess served a lunch consisting of sandwiches, pickles, salad, cake and coffee. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Finn and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Masters and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cassell, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Masters and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Masters and sons, Mr. and Mrs. William Job, sr., Mr. and Mrs. Homer Worl and children, Mr. and Mrs. Will Dempsey and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shelton and children, Mrs. Helen Strauch and sons, Mrs. Sidney Masters, Misses Ella O'Grady, Lucile Masters, Eva Honer, Mary Busby, Hazel Mitchell, Dora Eleanor Masters, and Otis Schenkel, Will O'Grady, Glen McGinness, Ernest Schenkel, Emery Shell, Cletus Busby and the hosts.

**Jolly Farmers Club.**

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones were hosts at the semi-monthly meeting of the Jolly Farmers Club at their home last night. The first feature of the evening's entertainment was a take-off on a radio broadcasting station. The question of whether women should bob their hair was next argued pro and con with an old-fashioned and flapper grandmothers on exhibit during the debate. The judges failed to reach a decision. The remainder of the evening was spent in rook, the games being played at five tables. Refreshments concluded a delightful evening. Those entertained were Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mutz, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mutz, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Evans, Mr. and Mrs. John Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Will Brackin, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gray, Walter Mutz, Beulah, Delberta and Mary Elizabeth Mutz Evelyn and Kenneth Evans, Raymond Evans, Loretta, Mary Alice and Katherine Jones and Richard Brackin. Mr. and Mrs. Roland Evans will be hosts to the club on Feb. 13.

**Missionary Meeting.**

The evening auxiliary of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society held its February meeting last night in the League room at the First Methodist Church. Mrs. Edgar Carlson, Mrs. Howard Wray and Miss Byrd Briggs were the hostesses. Mrs. Emmett Scott was the leader of the lesson on "Prayer and Missionaries." There was a general discussion of "Answered Prayer." Additional program features included two vocal solos by Mrs. Bess Thorp, who sang "This Is My Task" and "Beneath My Window;" an instrumental solo by Genevieve Miller; and two readings by Eleanor Stanfield. Mrs. C. C. Leeson read an interesting letter from Miss Katherine Boeye, a missionary to China. After the mystery box contest, refreshments were served. About twnty-one members were present and Mrs. Pearl Miller and daughter, Genevieve, and Eleanor Stanfield were guests.

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—MB—

Readers, I have another surprise for you! Miss Pearl M. Keiflein who is the owner of Maryville's exclusive but not expensive hat and dress shop has returned from market and announces that she will display coats and suits as well as dresses and hats this spring. She has purchased some lovely coats with bags to match, that is one of the new ideas you know, and she also announces that included among the new things are these stunning new tweed suits that fairly speak of English country houses and Russian Wolfhounds.

Her dresses are stunning to describe them mildly. They are coming in every day, but the coats and suits and many of the dresses will not be here until next week.

And oh, yes, have you seen the new crepe de chine scarfs? They are square, you know, and figured. Miss Keiflein is showing them.

A shipment of most attractive felt hats that are of good quality, but purchased at an advantage, are now on display at Miss Keiflein's for $4.50 each.

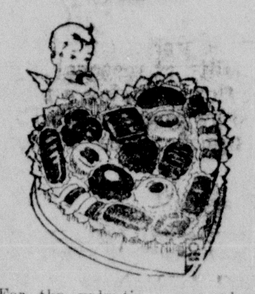
—MB—

Are you all dressed up for valentine's day. Don't forget that a trip to the cleaners is not a bad idea once in a while. Like a trip to the mountains revives the office man so a trip to the cleaners helps your clothes. Even if you can't have new clothes as often as you like, at least you can be "cleaned and pressed." And don't forget that the Superior Cleaners, Masters, are the best in their line.

—MB—

Everything for the valentine party—at Kuchs Brothers. This store offers a supply of St. Valentine's tokens that will delight the heart of any hostess. Place cards with stately ladies and hearts, tallies that match, nut cups, place cards. Clever centerpieces that will "set off" the table or tables to the best advantage. Appropriate prizes. In fact if it's for Valentine's Day you'll find it at Kuchs. And by the way, just because I haven't mentioned the comic as well as the "fancy valentines, don't think that they haven't good ones at this store.

—MB—



For the valentine remembrance don't forget that Yehle Dry Goods Company is offering heart shaped boxes containing the most delicious candies. They just have arrived and so are the freshest that can be had.

Also this store is showing valentines at various prices. Some are one cent. Others are priced as high as twenty-five cents. Whether it's candy or valentines the cleverest things can be found at this store.

—MB—

Perfume for her valentine! Just the right remembrance. The best assortment of perfumes can be found at Gaugh and Evans Drug Company. Your choice of odors—those that hint of the Orient, perhaps a touch of old Madrid, a suggestion of blossom time in Old Nippon. For your mother, sweetheart, best friend, perfume is the ever-correct gift for the Day of Hearts.

And the groceries for your valentine parties. Don't forget that the Burton Cash Grocery is where you get bargains every day except Sunday. And real bargains they are, too. This store is really a store for the people. Where every shopper knows that every purchase is a bargain. For medium priced or fancy groceries this store offers the best at the lowest price. So don't forget when you are planning to entertain that it will cost you less and the quality will be perfect if you shop at Burton's.

—MB—

Mrs. Godsey is showing some imported felt hats at $4. Some are decorated. Others are the popular Swanson felts. Clever red straws at $4.75.

And ladies—come one, come all, lend an ear. Do you know what "Inecto" is? It permanently banishes grey hair in 15 minutes. Yes, indeed, and that's the truth. Mrs. Godsey has it in all shades and there is a color chart on hand that you may see how real hair looks in each shade. Really, there is no reason why every woman should not have beautiful hair the color of her desire with "Inecto." Service with a personal interest.

—MB—

And don't forget that G. E. Brumbaugh, the radio wizard, is here at your service and lucky you are that he is. Think of the radio owners who have to bring their sets a hundred miles to him in order to put them into the hands of one who really understands radios.

—MB—

Valentines for her, valentines for him—for mother, dad, sister, brother and friends. They're all there, appropriate ones for everybody at Hotchkins, the 1926 valentine headquarters. Penny ones that tell in no waste of words, the worst faults of all of us; five-cent ones that are pretty, in fact they are priced from one cent to one dollar and a half.

—MB—

And here is a sure enough treat. Miss Pauline Mahr, head of the ready-to-wear department at the Yehle Dry Goods Co., is in Chicago this week and is attending the gorgeous fashion displays there. The two largest are at the Hotel Sherman and at the Rainbow Gardens. Miss Mahr attended both of them and here are some of the style hints she saw:

Afternoon gowns with short sleeves. These gowns as well as all of those in the fashion shows were French importations and were created by the following designers: Paquin, Patou, Worth, Lanvin, Renee, Vionuet, Lenief, Lelong and Molyneaux.

Grey is the leading color, but for street wear only, with hose, shoes, gloves and hat matching.

Chartreuse green and a delicate rose shade are good. However black holds its own and is presented in an entirely different version this year. Black always is combined with some bright color or gold, adding a dash of color making the costume appear entrancing and thus doing away with the somberness.

Georgette crepe is the leading material. One clever frock shown was made of black georgette over flesh colored crepe. The model wore hose of flesh and a large hat of black with drooping brim and faced with flesh. Pumps worn with this gown were poppy red kid.

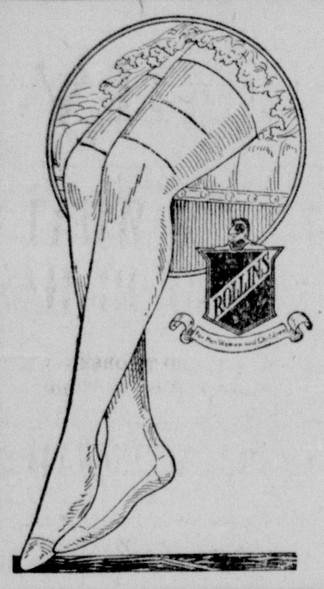
For sports wear white is shown extensively with combination of other bright colors and a cape of the same material as frock. One dress shown was in the jumper style with the cape matching. The cape had a fur collar dyed in blue to match the trimming on close fitting hat. Shoes of blue also.

Hats and shoes match the predominating color of the costume always, while hose are in the light biege or nude tints.

Although the styles continue to be along the more tailored lines the trimmings are brilliant and extremely elaborate, giving the garment smartness.

And I think I have saved two of the most interesting features until the last: skirts are just as short and shorter if possible, but higher in the neck. Shoes are strapless pumps.

Miss Mahr leaves Chicago tonight for New York.

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ware of Barnard were here today.

Edwin Corwin of Hopkins was a business visitor in Maryville today.

Mrs. J. D. Savage and Mrs. A. M. Stewart of Gravity, Ia., were here today.

C. C. Corwin returned this morning from a several days buying trip to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Orr Swallow of near Barnard were shopping in Maryville today.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt McKee of near Orrsburg were visiting in Maryville today.

Miss Olive DeLuce, Miss Blanche Dow and Miss Estelle Bowman are spending the week end in Kansas City.

Lindsay Rader of Gallipolis, O., is visiting his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Earwood, east of Maryville.

Frank Antrim, Tom Barry, and George Houchens were here from Ravenwood yesterday.

Mrs. Ray Hindman and Mrs. Dean Hindman of Fairfax were in Maryville on business yesterday.

# BIG LEGGED PANT PASSE

FOULARD AND LOUD BELT NOT SO GOOD FOR SPRING.

## LIGHT COLORED SUITS

W. J. Montgomery Tells Of New Styles Which Well-Dressed Man Will Wear.

The day of the big-legged pant is gone. No more will the "balloon-tire" trouser be a mark of the well-dressed man. Instead it will be the 18-to-19 inch cuff which adorns the pant of Beau Brummel as he parades the thoroughfare in all his sartorial splendor.

Thus opined W. J. Montgomery, local clothier, who returned last night from a retail clothiers' convention in the Hotel Statler, St. Louis.

Even as the baggy pant has faded into the class of the "not-so-good," so has the colored cloth belt, which was once regarded as "quite collegiate."

And what will Mr. Well Dresser wear this spring? According to Mr. Montgomery, he will be seen in a light-colored suit, (the caber check is popular), which will be either single or double breasted and will sport two buttons, unless Mr. Dresser is a tall man, in which case he may have a three-button suit.

His topcoat will be light, even lighter than his coat, and his hat, if he is a young man, will be in a light shade with snap brim and colored band. If he wants something more conservative the roll brim will be quite right.

Perchance Mr. Dresser is invited out for the evening. Then he may be seen with a blue double breaster coat combined with gray flannel trousers. The coat may be one of the new acid blues, and a silk handkerchief will be in the breast pocket.

Belts will be wide, but of leather, Mr. Montgomery said. Shirts of white are always good but plain blues and blue checks and stripes will be just as acceptable.

Hosiery will come out in a world of fancy colors.

Foulard ties are passe, the clothier commented. In their place, the silk and wool in the long tie and the butterfly bow in bat wing will have full sway.

For sport, the cricket coat is all the go. This is either in the pull-over or button style, but without belt in the latter. Knickers will be worn extensively for golf and motoring, and socks will match the sweater. The cap with an eight-piece top is regarded as best.

In Maryville, the tuxedo will be better than anything, Mr. Montgomery said. Later on, in the cities, the dark pant of this suit will be discarded for white flannels, with maybe a wee pin stripe.

And when Mr. Well Dresser goes to bed, he will do so in pajamas of most striking patterns.

## Unable to Pay Fine Man Paroled Today

Booth-Job Case is Appealed To Kansas City Higher Court Today.

Thomas Harry Flanders, St. Joseph man, who pleaded guilty to possession of intoxicating liquor, following his arrest at Barnard several weeks ago, and who was sentenced to pay a fine of $200, was paroled today on payment of $50 of the fine and the costs in the case.

Flanders had been unable to pay his fine and had been held in the county jail here.

Holding Circuit Court today, Joude Jonh M. Dawson overruled a motion for new trial in the damage suit of Earl Booth against Representative William Job, and the former appealed to the Kansas City Court of Appeals.

In the case of S. J. Pratt against R. R. Tame, in which a judgment for $361.18 was given recently, the court sustained a motion to quash the levy of execution.

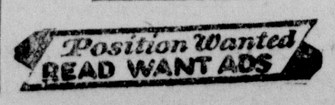
In the case of Lieurena Mendenhall and others against Salem Pearce and others, to quiet title, the court found for the defendant, whereupon the plaintiffs appealed the case to the Supreme court.

A demurrer filed by the defendants in the suit of the Cheyenne Milling Co., against Harry H. Lyle and others was overruled.

Wright & Ford dismissed their suit on account of Wright and Ford against Inez Pearl Turpen Sloan.

Several juvenile matters also were taken up by the court.

Miss Dorothy Lippmann of St. Louis will leave tonight for her home after a week's visit at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Lizette Lippman.



# SOCIETY

**D. of I. Meeting.**

The regular business meeting of the Daughters of Isabella will be held at 8 o'clock Monday night at K. of C. hall.

**Hosts at Bridge.**

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Studer will be hosts at an informal bridge party at their home on North Main street tonight. The games will be played at four tables.

**Buffet Supper.**

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lewis, jr., entertained with a buffet supper at their home on South Fillmore street last night. Their guests included Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Bell and son, Charles, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bell and son, Albert Gordon, and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Richey.

**Wilcox Rebekah Lodge.**

About fifty-five members attended last night's meeting of the Wilcox Rebekah Lodge. The meeting was in charge of Lila Kable, newly elected noble grand. The new vice-grand is Mrs. Will Fox. The invitation to the Valentine Party of the Maryville Rebekah Lodge was accepted. Weiners, buns, cake and coffee were served after lodge.

**Surprise Birthday Party.**

Mrs. Robert Patton gave a surprise party last night at her home, south of Maryville, to observe the sixty-fourth birthday anniversary of Mr. Patton. Games were played at three tables, after which refreshments of coffee, doughnughts, cake and fruit salad were served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Will Sturm, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Myers, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Belt, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Kelley, George Patton, Daniel Myers, Leo Myers, David Belt, and Miss Laura Belt.

## Old Alliance to Seek Aluminum Investigation

Democrats and Progressives Join in Further Inquiry Into Failure of Department of Justice.

Washington, Feb. 6.—The old insurgent-Democratic alliance was revived today around the "trust bust" issue of the Aluminum Company of America, controlled by the Mellon interests. The re-formed alliance hopes to secure evidence warranting an independent investigation of the aluminum company confidential reports now on file with the federal trade commission.

Its leaders have already secured Senatorial approval of a resolution calling on the commission to turn over the documents. They are expected by the judiciary committee early next week.

Meanwhile, committee members were considering a report of Senator Walsh, Democrat of Montana, in which he accused the department of justice of "almost indefensable conduct in failing to prosecute the combine.

Ernest Rhodes, Short Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McKee of near Harmony were visitors in Maryville today.

Among visitors in Maryville today were Hubert Garrett, Quitman; Clair Conley, Pickering; and Dr. W. H. Wiley, Clearmont.

Misses Loeta Yarnall and Madonna Davis, James Sawyers and daughters were here from Ravenwood today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hunt and family, Ernest Rhodes, I. V. Moore, and Elmer McKee of Harmony were in Maryville today.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Leahy announce the birth of a daughter yesterday to whom they have given the name Marie Treca.

Mrs. E. T. Godsey returned last night from Kansas City, where she has been on business.

J. W. and C. R. Hanna, Ben Travis, and Sam Emmert were in Maryville from Tarkio yesterday.

## AUNT HET

"I don't want to die, but it will be right interestin' to find out if there is any old bachelors in Heaven."

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# BUY LICENSES SAYS WRIGHT

PROSECUTING ATTORNEY WARNS MOTORISTS AGAINST DELAY

## NO REASON FOR WAIT

Chamber of Commerce Has 5,000 Sets of Plates But Only 250 Issued, He Points Out

"Now is the time to buy license plates for your cars," George Pat Wright, prosecuting attorney, said this morning. "These plates went on sale on February 1 and only a reasonable time is granted for buying them.

"There is no reason why any auto owner should delay buying his plates. There are 5,000 of them at the Chamber of Commerce office in Maryville and up to yesterday afternoon only 250 licenses had been sold. These plates are required to be on your car on February 1, but at the rate they are being sold this week, it will be summer time before car owners will have paid their licenses.

"The officers are not going to wait several months. The law gives you a reasonable time and every car owner should get busy and get his plate at once. One month is sufficient time."

## Clubhouse to Be Open at Country Club on Feb. 28

"Onct upon a' time when us kids was a'coastin' down th' East Sixth street hill, we thought about whatta good time we wuz a' havin' when all of a sudden Skinny spoke up and sez, sez he, 'Gee, this is a lotta fun but I believe I'd ruther go swimmin' or fishin' or campin' or somethin—gee, doncha wish fer spring?'

"And then Jimmy, he spoke up and sez, sez he, 'Naw, dontcha know coastin's a lot better than swimmin' er ennythin' else, a millun billun times, I betcha. Why, in winter you can throw snowballs 'an everything—gee, doncha wish winter'd always stay here?' "

Every spring has its harbingers—robins singing, fishin' worms, garden catalogs and other known only to the weather-wise among the "old timers."

In Maryville, however, there is a harbinger looked forward to by a number of out-of-doors enthusiasts—the official spring opening of the country clubhouse.

All ye mean swingers of the ash club, gather around and listen to this announcement by Dr. Jesse Miller, president of the Maryville Country Club:

"Club building will be officially opened Sunday, February 28; grounds will be in good shape by then; club building may be reserved for dinners and parties, to be given before February 28, by communicating with L. E. Forsyth."

Already a number of golfers have started playing and more are expected out tomorrow.

The board of directors of the Country club will meet at the Chamber of Commerce office at 7:30 o'clock next Thursday night at which time plans for the coming year will be discussed. All members of the country club are invited to attend the meeting.

## Hospital Notes

Those admitted to the St. Francis Hospital this week were: Mrs. Roy Kenney, Mrs. D. H. Carr, Mrs. Fred Wagoner, Mrs. W. H. Dredge, Eugene Ray, and Bernard Durbin, Maryville; Claire Slonecker, Trenton; Mrs. Charles Roach, Bedison.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Raun of St. Joseph.

## Mother of Actress Is Killed in Car Wreck

Los Angeles, Feb. 6.—Mrs. H. Prevost, mother of Marie Prevost, film actress, was killed, and L. Christie, comedy producer and Vera Stedman, screen comedian, were seriously injured in an automobile accident near Lordsburg, N. Mex., late last night, according to word received by Miss Prevost here today.

**William Fink Here.**

William Fink of Danver, Colo., arrived last night for a several days' visit with Horace Richmond. He is the son of the late G. W. Fink, formerly manager of Hotel Linville for a number of years.

**Cook Funeral Tomorrow.**

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary A. Cook, who died yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. E. Clayton, will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the M. E. Church, South, in Guilford.

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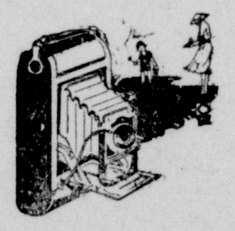

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# Among the Schools of Nodaway County

## NORMALS ARE 59 YEARS OLD

MISSOURI'S SYSTEM DATES BACK TO 1859

## FIRST AT KIRKSVILLE

First Bill, Passed in 1870, Provided for Two—Now Five Teachers Colleges

How Missouri's present-day system of state teachers colleges was begun—just fifty-nine years ago next week—is related by Floyd C. Shoemaker, secretary of the State Historical Society of Missouri. Mr. Shoemaker, whose office is at Columbia, writes each week an article of the significance of that week in the history of the state.

On the 13th of February, fifty-nine years ago, Joseph Baldwin, founder of the North Missouri Normal, known today as the Northeast Missouri State Teachers College, came to Kirksville, Mo., from Indiana to find a suitable place to establish a private school.

At that time the only normal school in the state was located in St. Louis, and its chief purpose was to furnish the schools of that city with teachers. As a consequence of this it tended to serve only the students of St. Louis and vicinity. Taking that into consideration Professor Baldwin came to Kirksville, where he found the remains of the Old Cumberland Academy, which had been established in 1859 to satisfy the demands for a normal school in that part of the state. However, the turmoil and excitement of the Civil War had caused its suspension two years later. Professor Baldwin purchased the building and, after giving it the needed repairs, opened in it the North Missouri Normal, September 2, 1867.

The students who gathered there were decidedly a heterogenous group. They were of both sexes, and of all ages and sizes from the primary group up. Many of them had spent several years in the army, were behind in their education, and were making their own way through school.

**A Faculty of Six.**

The first faculty, in the selection of which Professor Baldwin spent much time and effort, was composed of six members. He wrote that all were engaged with the understanding that they would be willing to devote their lives to the building of departments of unsurpassed merit, and that each would feel as much interest in the success of the institution as if owning it. On the first faculty were, besides Prof. Baldwin, Prof. and Mrs. F. L. Ferris, Prof. W. P. Nason, and Prof. and Mrs. I. M. Grenwood. The latter three afterwards served under Prof. Baldwin as members of the faculty of the First District Normal School—the name applied to the school after it was taken over by the State.

Immediately after establishing the private school, Prof. Baldwin began to work for the creation of a system of state normal schools in Missouri like those existing in some other states. In fact, he established the North Missouri Normal with the hope that it would be accepted by the State when such a system should be adopted.

As a result of his agitation and that of others a bill providing for such a system passed the State Legislature and was approved by Gov. McClurg on March 19, 1870. The act provided for the creation of two normal schools, one north of the Missouri River and one south. A board was appointed to locate the schools in the counties offering the greatest inducement.

**Bid of $76,400 Accepted.**

Prof. Baldwin and the County Court of Adair county began working to get the North Missouri school located at Kirksville. Their campaigning resulted in Adair county's voting bonds and offering a bid of $76,400 in the form of buildings, bonds, and land for the school This bid included the North Missouri Normal. On December 29, 1870 the offer was accepted by the board and the "First District Normal School" was located at Kirksville. The South Missouri school was located at Warrensburg in Johnson county.

The Board of Regents, under whose control the school was placed, selected Prof. Baldwin as the first president. It also started work on the new building, which was occupied on January 16, 1873. The moving to the new building was an important event in the lives of the students, and it is recalled by many with much delight.

The school, since its founding, has had six presidents. They are Joseph Baldwin from 1867 to 1881; W. P. Nason, acting president from 1881 to 1882; J. P. Blanton, from 1882 to 1891; W. D. Dobson, from 1891 to 1898; John R. Kirk, from 1898 to 1925; and Eugene Fair, who is serving at the present time.

The growth of the school, as shown by the increase in the size of the enrollment, faculty, and graduating classes, has been remarkable. The enrollment the first year, outside of the "Model School," was 140, during the year 1924-25 it was 1,919. The first faculty numbered six, during the summer term of 1925 it numbered seventy-nine. There were eight students in the first graduating class, while 693 students completed courses during the school year 1924-25. Meanwhile other normal schools were established at Springfield, Cape Girardeau and finally at Maryville.

**Improvement Marked.**

Improvement in the courses of study offered has been as marked as the growth of the schools. When the first school started, it purported to cover the whole field of school work from the primary grade to that of the college—the field of the normal school. Today all are teachers' colleges and have for their chief purpose the furnishing of elementary and high school teachers for the schools of the State. They offer four years of college work and require that amount for their highest diplomas—the degree of B. S. in Education.

## SCHOOL LIKES HOT LUNCHES

PLAN TRIED AT PLEASANT VIEW PROVES SUCCESS.

## COSTS 5 CENTS EACH

Pupils Have Better Lessons and Parents Less Trouble, it is Declared

Hot lunches are being served at Pleasant View school and according to the Guilford Times, are proving very satisfactory to teacher, pupils and parents.

Last October the mothers of the district met with the teacher, Miss Ethel Anderson and discussed the problem from all angles. Although a few preferred sending lunch in pint jars to be warmed, it was at last decided to send potatoes on Mondays and raise a fund of 5 cents for each pupil to buy groceries for the other four days of the week. This sum has been found sufficient to serve one good hot dish each day.

Cocoa, beans and rice are on the menu almost every week. While a variety of dishes are served the extra day. Maccaroni, tomatoes and chili soup and a variety of soup have been served.

Last Wednesday they made ice cream. While that can't be called hot lunch every youngster greeted it cordially and did full justice to it and the owner of that 10 quart freezer claims there was none left.

Miss Anderson is a very firm believer in the benefits from school cooking and says her pupils get through the afternoon lessons in great shape when they have hot lunch. They enjoy the afternoon so much more and the mothers are finding that the "piece before supper" is very rarely asked for.

Those in the hot lunch circle rarely fail in their lessons, it is asserted.

## Students Vie With Essays on Lincoln

Senior Classes In English of Maryville High School and Others Are Eligible for Medal.

The senior classes in English at the Maryville High School, taught by Miss Laura B. Hawkins, have written essays upon the life of Abraham Lincoln, from which one within the next week or so, will be chosen as the winning essay and the writer will be awarded a gold medal offered by the Illinois Watch Company. Several other high school in the county are having similar contests.

Last year the essay award here went to Orville Pugsley, who used as his theme, "Lincoln's Unselfish Character." The year before, Jarvis Bush, writing upon "Abraham Lincoln," received the gold medal.

The company sponsoring the essay contest announces that it is to increase knowledge and admiration of Lincoln among the school children of the United States. The contest animates the study of Lincoln, his life and his character.

There are 23,000 recognized schools in the country which are eligible to participate in the event and which will be supplied medals by the company for the local winners. They include all recognized high schools, academies, and other schools, giving high school courses or the equivalent of a high school course, located in the United States and its possessions.

It was originally intended that only senior classes should be allowed to participate in the contest, but it has now been decided to leave this entirely to the discretion of the school officials. In some of the small rural schools senior classes are not conducted each year, in which case one or more classes would be eligible. The same would hold true where the senior classes are small.

The essays have no length requirement, that also being left for the local shools to decide. Miss Hawkins asks the students to have a maximum of 300 words. They may select their own title and cover any phase of Lincoln's life that they may choose.

The medals are made of solid bronze, are three inches in diameter and three-eights inch in thickness. The head of Lincoln on the medal is a reproduction from the famous painting by Douglas Volk, considered by many as the finest likeness of the martyred president.

Miss Hawkins plans to have the essay in the hands of the judges soon so that the winner may be announced and receive the award on Lincoln's birthday, February 12.

## *M. H. S. Freshmen Tell Original Stories in Words of Shakespeare*

Some literary critics hold that Shakespeare's dramas should never be taught to high school students until they have reached their senior year. They argue that during their lower classmanship students are not apt to get the proper interpretation of Shakespeare's writings.

The theory is wrong as far as the freshmen class in English at the Maryville High School is concerned. They have proven that they know their "P's and Q's" when it comes to Shakespeare and to interpreting extracts from his drama, having recently taken up the study of "The Merchant of Venice," and transformed quotations from it into some original stories.

Five stories received the grade of "E." They were written by Calvin Allen, Marjean Alloway, Eva Bailey, Hermit Culver and Maude Qualls. Two of the stories follow:

**OH PROFESSOR—SIR ORACLE.**

(By Marjean Alloway).

It was on a cold, snowy day; enough to make anyone grouchy. In the assembly hall that morning the boys and girls seemed not to care, for they were laughing and throwing books and papers. Just at this instant when one of the boys let loose a large book, the door flew open and the book caught the professor in the chest, nearly knocking him down.

He glared around and walked to the center of the room with an air of, "I am Sir Oracle, when I ope my lips let no dog bark." His face—oh, one look was enough, for, "There are a sort of men whose visages do cream and mouthe like a standing pond."

One of the boys came down to the front of the room, looked at the Professor and said, " 'You have too much respect upon the world; they lose it that do buy it with much care, " and with a wave of his hand he disappeared.

Mary looked all around, then she took from her packet a small gold compact. One of her friends sniffed, " 'All that glitters is not gold.' " Mary flung back, " 'Young in links, in judgment old?"

Mary reached down and picked up the small cat that had the run of the building. " 'A harmless necessary cat.' " The Professor looked at her sharply, " 'I never knew so young a baby with so old a head.' "

"Let it serve for table talk,' " then " 'We will answer all things faithfully.' " The Professor again looked at Mary, who was singing, " 'Tell me where is fancy bred; in the heart or in the head. How nourished, reply, reply.' " He said, " 'An unlessoned girl, unschooled, unpracticed; happy in this, she is not yet so old, but she may learn.' Ah, 'Here are a few of the unpleasantist words that ever blotted paper.' "

Mary only laughed, "Humph, 'The man that hath no music in himself, nor is moved by concores of sweet sounds, is fit for treasons, strategens, and spoils; the motives of his spirits are as dull as the night and his affections as dark as Erebus: Let no such man be trusted,' Have a little mercy, for 'The quality of mercy is not strained, it droppeth as the gentle rain from heaven upon the place beneath. It is twice blest; It blesseth him that gives and him that takes.' "

Professor Shurbell looked shocked and muttered, " 'Must I bend low in a bondsman's key, with bolted breath and whispering humbleness?' Ah 'It's a wise father that knows his own child.' I am 'the kindest man, the best conditioned and unwearied spirit in doing courtesies.' "

In a back seat, Jack said to Mary, " 'I dote on his very absence,' but, 'God made him for a man, therefore let him pass for a man,' even 'The Devil can cite scripture for his purpose.' "

Professor Shurbell found he could not quiet the squabble and said "I want to clear this room. 'In the twinkling of an eye,' go!"

Once outside the door, Jack, who was waiting for Mary, said, "The Professor 'makes a swan like end, fading in music.' "

**THE MINSTREL SHOW.**

By Calvin Allen.

The advanced freshmen decided to give a minstrel show. The boys wanted their fathers to come. One boy did not want his father to come, because "he doth nothing but talk of his horse," but nevertheless, "God made him for a man, therefore let him pass for a man."

In going to the show, one father was disturbed by something under his chair. It later proved to be, "a harmless necessary cat." "Do you like the music," asked one boy of his father. " 'I am ever merry when I hear sweet music.' " replied the father. When the show was over the boys declared it made "A swan-like end, fading in music."

The fathers were disgusted to see the black faces of their sons in the dressing room. " 'Mislike me not for my complexion,' " said a boy to his father. " 'Must I hold a candle to my shame,' father?" said another boy.

"You will until you get that black off your face." "Where is my son?" inquired another father, for, you know, "it is a wise father that knoweth his own son."

With a little soap and water and "in the twinkling of an eye," each father knew his son. "I've a notion to take you home, son, and give you a licking. 'If it will feed nothing else, it will feed my revenge.' "

"Never mind that, father, but how did you like the play?"

"I will write down what I think about it," replied the father. Hereupon he wrote, "a few unpleasantist words that ever plotted paper."

As the boys made their way home with their fathers, one of the boys whispered, " 'This night, methinks, is but the daylight sick.' "

When they reached home, the father of one of the boys said, "Son, tell me why you boys did this?"

"We will answer all things faithfully,' " replied the boy.

"I am going to punish you."

"But father—" said the boy.

"Stop," said the father, " 'I am Sir Oracle, and when I ope my lips let no dog bark.' Listen to me, son, 'If it were as easy to know what were good to do, chapels had been churches and poor men's cottages prince's palaces.' "

"But father," went on the boy, "mother said you did this same thing when you were a boy."

"My," sighed the father, " 'I never knew so young a baby with so old a head.' "

"I will let you off this time, son, but never again."

" 'The kindest man. The best spirited conditioned and wearied spirit in doing courtesies,' " thought the boy.

## Audubon Club Will Protect the Birds

The fourth and fifth grades of the Burlington Junction school have organized an Audubon society, the purpose of which is to protect birds. Officers were elected as follows: President, Esther Hollis; secretary, Mildred Severs, treasurer, Francis Moses.

The society will give a program on the second Friday in each month. A committee consisting of Pauline Puett, Edith Gohn and Edwardena Harrison have arranged a very good program for February 12, in which Mamie Harriett, Gilbert Harry Martin, Verneda Van Ausdall, Alma Howell, Mildred Severs, Francis Moses and Ora Rutherford will give talks, recitations or musical numbers. There also will be two plays, "The Little Housekeeper" and "The Lost Pocketbook." A valentine box will be opened at this time also. The committee to arrange for the valentine box is Grady Oxford, Virgil Barrett and Deloris King.

## SPELLING BEES BADLY NEEDED

PRELIMINARY CONTEST SHOWS REVIVAL NONE TOO SOON.

## NEARLY HALF MISSED

"Advanced" is Trickiest Word—Other Hard Ones Are Apparatus, Ally, Academy and Accommodate.

That the move to put more stress upon spelling has come none too soon in the public schools is indicated by a tabulation of the results of the preliminary contest held here last week for the rural pupils of Polk Township.

Polk Township is used as an example only because data are lacking from the others. The fact that more words or fewer words are spelled does not mean necessarily that one township has better spellers than another. There are too many factors entering into the contests, chief of them being the variance in the word list used.

In the preliminary contest here, the Aldyne speller. Fifty were given and there were twenty-two contestants from rural schools. This made a total of 1,100 words, and 404—more than a third—were missed.

The trickest word given was "advanced," past tense of "advance." Only one of the twenty-two pupils added the "d."

There were only four words, which were not missed. They were able, almost, although and always.

Apparatus was missed nineteen times; ally and academy each sixteen times; accommodate and abscess each fifteen times; affable fourteen; analysis thirteen; abandon, abbreviation, apostrophe, apparent, absolutely an ambition, each twelve times.

Four words were missed by exactly half the contestants—eleven times. They were accepted, approached, abundant and apology. All the others were missed from two to ten times.

The title of "worst speller" goes to the pupil who missed thirty-eight out of the fifty words. Another missed thirty-four and two missed thirty-two. Several missed more than half.

Grade pupils of Maryville did not take part in the contest.

## Maryvillian Society to Give Two-Act Play

"The Millionaire Janitor," a Comedy-Drama Will Be Presented Monday Morning.

"The Millionaire Janitor," a comedy-drama in two acts, will be presented Monday morning at 10:40 o'clock in the Maryville High School auditorium by the boys of the Maryvillian Literary Society.

The scene of the play is laid at a boy's boarding school. It is a production that affords plenty of humorous entertainment and when the curtain is lowered on the second act, will leave the moral, "Fine feathers do not make the bird," or "Fine clothes do not make the man."

The cast follows:

Herman Schmaltz, the millionaire janitor, Kermit Culver.

Professor Flogg, proprietor of the Boys School, Junior Curnutt.

John Madison Jennings, Herald's father, Edward Hudson.

Herald Jennings, future United States Senator, Stuart Bush.

Horatio De Alger, studious scholar, Forte Sandison.

Fubbs, Herald's chum, Leland Smith.

Skinner, one of the boys, Harry Trullinger.

The acts are: Act 1, apartment in the Flogg's school for boys. Act 2, The same as Act 1.

The comedy-drama is under the direction of Hugh Graham, sponsor of the club, and J. Perry Eads. The Maryvillian Literary Society is a freshman boys club, organized last year. This will be the first time that any of the boys have appeared on the platform in any dramatic work, with the exception of Forte Sandison, who has taken part in drama work early.

## Burlington Junction H. S. to Have Debate

Burlington Junction High School's debating team will meet the team from the training school of the high school department of the State Teachers College next Wednesday night. The debate will be held in Burlington Junction and the home team will again uphold the affirmative side of the question.

## Harmony to Debate St. Joseph Central

Nodaway Countians Have Strong Team, Defeating King City Last Week By 3-0 Decision.

Harmony High School's debating team will debate with the St. Joseph Central at 1:30 o'clock Monday afternoon, the question being, "Resolved: That the Child Labor Amendment should be ratified by the state." Harmony will uphold the affirmative side of the question.

Harmony has an unusually strong debate team this year. Last Friday afternoon at Stanberry, the Harmony pair met King City at Stanberry and won by a 3-0 decision. The same question was debated, but Harmony had the negative side.

The Harmony debaters are Fay W. Null and Richard Heflin, and W. I. Lewis and Mrs. Hally Ford act as coaches.

The debate with St. Joseph Central will be held at St. Joseph.

## 6 GIRLS HAVE BEST GRADES

NO M. H. S. BOYS IN CHARMED CIRCLE WITH FOUR "E's."

## SEVEN OTHERS HIGH

Five Girls and Two Boys Have Three "E's" And One or More "S's" for Semester.

A report given out this week by L. L. St. Clair, principal of Maryville High School, on the scholastic standing of students, based on their average grades for the semester which opened September, 1925, and closed January 15, 1926, shows that six students, all of them girls, made perfect records, with four E's.

Seven students, of whom two are boys, made three semester grades of "E" and one or more of "S's".

The girls who achieved the high scholastic standing with four "E's" and the class to which they belonged at the time, were:

Eva Margaret Frank, an advanced senior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Frank.

Frances Remus, a beginning senior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Remus.

Gertrude Wray, a beginning senior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Wray.

Ruth Jensen, beginning senior, daughter of Charles A. Jensen.

Mildred Wiles, an advanced junior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wiles.

Edwyna Forsyth, a beginning junior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Forsyth.

The seven students making next to the highest standing are:

William Alsup, beginning junior, with three E's; Ruth Bush, beginning senior, with three E's and two S's; Audrey Linthicum, beginning senior with three E's and one S; Mildred Sandison, beginning sophomore, with three E's and two S's; Grace Westfall, beginning sophomore with three E's and one S; Petie Dietz, advanced freshman, with three E's and one S; Marian Gann, advanced freshman with three E's and one S.

## Hopkins Grades Send Portfolios to Europe

January was portfolio month in the Hopkins schools and the grades made portfolios to send to the different countries. The fifth and sixth grades bound theirs in black oilcloth. It contained a letter of greeting, a picture of the pupils, a hand painted American flag with the hostory of it, a picture and description of the Statue of Liberty and many scenes of free hand cutting.

The pupils will receive a similar folio from the respective European nations in exchange. Last year they received a very interesting one from the Navajo Indians at Rehobath, N. Mex. The official in charge of all the portfolios received from the different schools in the county praised the ones received from the Hopkins school very highly.

## Barnard Classes to Compete in Spelling

The freshman and sophomore classes of the Barnard High School are studying spelling in their English classes in preparation for a contest with the other classes. The freshmen will meet the juniors and the sophomores will meet the seniors.

## TO SEE WHAT MISSOURI HAS

SCHOOLS ASKED TO OBSERVE MISSOURI PRODUCTS WEEK.

## A CURB ON EMIGRATION

Better Knowledge o f State Will Keep Many at Home, Says Superintendent Lee.

The schools in the 9,159 districts of Missouri are being asked to co-operate in the observance of Missouri Products Week, February 28 to March 6, according to a statement by State Superintendent, Chas. A. Lee.

In commenting upon the vast possibilities of proper observance of this Week, Lee said it was possible to reach more than 700,00 school children, and more than 800,000 families with a message of Missouri products.

"The main trouble with we Missourians is we do not know enough about our state," Superintendent Lee said. "If we knew more about Missouri," he continued, "Not so many of us would be looking for locations outside the state. In fact, a proper knowledge of Missouri products and resources will curb the emigration of the thousands who leave the state every year, because they will reflect upon the possibilities of the state, and reach the conclusion that other states do not offer enough of added advantages to compensate them for moving."

Lee said the schools were peculiarly adapted for observing Missouri Products Week through their studies of history, agriculture and geography. He said he was certain that the time spent in studying Missouri products in these subjects would be as valuable, if not more valuably spent than if the time were devoted to a study of the regular subject matter.

"We should burn Missouri coal," Lee said, "because it will help both the men who mine it and those who operate the mines. This helps Missouri industry, and furthermore, Missouri soft coal is as good as other soft coal. In like manner, the use of bread made from Missouri flour serves a similar purpose. We do not have to have bread made from northern wheat. No one can dispute the quality of Missouri fruit, corn and minerals, yet we must become more familiar with them and lend our support and co-operation to those who produce and market them.

"However, the most important product of Missouri is citizens. There are about 800,000 young citizens now in Missouri's school system, both public and parochial, who, under the faithful guidance of 24,000 teachers, are preparing to assume their responsibilities in the future. The people of Missouri spend $48,000,000 a year on the elementary schools and high schools. We must do everything possible to keep these with us, and not educate them so largely for other states. The people spend about $13,000,000 a year paying for buildings to house these young citizens. There are more than 800 high schools in Missouri, 562 of which are first class. Also, we have three universities, five teachers' colleges, eleven four-year fully accredited colleges, and eighteen fully accredited junior colleges. There are fifty fully accredited academies in addition to the four-year public high schools. The school system is worthy of an exhaustive study, and I am sure that a more extended study of it will bring more liberal support."

Superintendent Lee gave it as his opinion that the schools of the state would gladly take part in observing Missouri Products Week.

## Schools of Gentry County to Contest

A series of contests have been announced for the grade schools of Gentry County, including spelling, ciphering, posters, penmanship, essays, declamation and music memory. The various contests will be held at Stanberry, King City and Albany.

Th winners of the rural school spelling contest, the town school contest and the high school contest will represent Gentry County in the state preliminary contest at Maryville on March 11.

This will be the fourth year for the Gentry County contests, in each of which a gold medal is given to the winner of first place, and red and white ribbons to the winners of second and third places. Earle C. Duncan is county superintendent of the Gentry County schools.

## Secretary-Treaurer White Leghorn Club

Mrs. John Hamilton An Officer Of American And Canadian Organization.

Mrs. John Hamilton has just been elected secretary-treasurer of the American Rose Comb White Leghorn Club. This organization is made up of breeders of this variety of poultry in both the United States and Canada, and Mrs. Hamilton will have the appointment of a secretary from each state and one from each province of Canada to work with her in a breed promotion and publicity campaign that has been planned for the coming year.

Mrs. Hamilton has long been a breeder of this variety and for years has been prominent in the affairs of the club, having been a member of the board of directors and for the past two years has been the club's president.

## Says Father Will Tend the Babies an' Stir the Soup

Delaware, Ohio, Feb. 6. (United Press).—Man's place in the home heretofore has been as arbiter of family spats, the provider and in short, dictator of the household, aloof from domestic worries but if predictions of Dean William E. Smyser of Ohio Wesleyan University are realized, Father is going to tend the babies, help with Monday's washing and stir the soup.

"Home economics courses for men will be one of the next developments in liberal arts of colleges. Dean Smyser told the United Press in an interview, expressing the opinion that man has held aloof too long and that he soon must learn the principles of household and budgeting, the fundamentals of nutrition, training and care of children and clothing selection.

"Many may not actually have to use his hands but he must certainly use his head in future household management," Dean Smyser asserted. "Head courses rather than hand courses, are what modern students need."

A course in home economics, with special courses for men are now being developed at Wesleyan.

## Fear "Race Suicide" in England and Wales

London, Feb. 6, (United Press)—"Race suicide" is appearing in England and Wales.

Official statistics for the birthrate last year show 18.3 births per thousand, compared to 18.7 in France and 46.2 in Russia. Thus England and Wales now have the lowest birth rate in the world—a rate which has steadily declined since 1913 when it stood at 24.1 per thousand.

## Style Plus—Life

London. — (United Press)— Because she wears skirts more voluminous than the prevailing flapper mode, Mrs. Sisslett of Eastbourne still lives. Her skirts by "ballooning" when she fell into the water acted as a lifebelt until rescuers came.

## Want Silk Stockings for Mules and Camels

London. (United Press).—Silk stockings for mules and camels in Algeria are being sought by Mrs. F. K. Housall humanitarian worker. Mrs. Rosall says cast off hose are fine for bandages to guard the animals from fly bites.

## And Now, Colored Dogs for the Male Flapper

Chicago, Feb. 6. (United Press) —Male flappers will go in for colored shoes this spring, with a nude shade take first honors, shoe dealers here announced.

The nude shade has been brought out in California and Florida, and by spring will have invaded the rest of the country, the dealers claim.

Outing shoes trimmed in red and green also will be in vogue, according to the forecast. Other colors will be introduced as the weather warms up.

## Two Women Taking Exams for Teachers

Miss Lillian V. Ramsbottom and Miss Myrtle Bennett are taking the civil service examination at the Maryville postoffice today for teachers in junior high and elementary schools at Indian reservations. The examination is being conducted by Eldon Irvin, chief of the civil service department of the local postoffice.

Misses Ella Noll and Gladys Ford, Mrs. Ed Hamlin, and Mrs. Albert Appleby went to St. Joseph last night to attend a meeting of the Radiant Chapter, Order of Eastern Star.

# DAILY MARKET REPORT

**ST. JOSEPH LIVE STOCK.**

**Hogs**

Receipts 2,000; market about steady.
Top, $13.25; bulk, $12.50 to $13.15.

**Cattle**

Receipts 100; market nominal.

**Sheep**

Receipts 2,000; market steady.
Lambs, $13.25 to $14.15.
Ewes, $8 to $8.75.

**EAST ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK**

**Cattle**
**Hogs**

Receipts 300; market lower.
Receipts 3,500; market steady to 15c lower.

**Sheep.**

Receipts 250; market about steady.

**OMAHA LIVESTOCK**

**Cattle**

Receipts 100; market nominal.

**Hogs**

Receipts 6,800; market 10c higher.

**Sheep**

Receipts 500; market nominal.

**CHICAGO LIVE STOCK**

**Hogs**

Receipts 5,000; market steady.

**Cattle**

Receipts 500; market about 25c off.

**Sheep**

Receipts 5,000; market nominal.

**KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK**

**Hogs**

Receipts 2,000; market steady.
Bulk, $12.50 to $13.25.
Heavies, $12.40 to $13.10.
Butchers, $12.90 to $13.25.
Lights, $13.25 to $13.60.
Pigs, $13.25 to $13.75.

**Cattle**

Receipts 150; market steady.
Prime fed steers, $10.25 to $11.25.
Dressed beef steers, $7 to $10.25.
Western steers, $7.25 to $10.25.
Southern steers, $6.50 to $9.50.
Cows, $3.40 to $8.
Heifers, $5.75 to $10.
Stockers and feeders, $6.25 to $9.25.
Bulls, $4.25 to $6.25.
Calves, $5.50 to $12.25.

**Sheep.**

Receipts 150; market steady.
Spring lambs, $13 to $14.35.
Yearlings, $10.25 to $12.25.
Ewes, $7.75 to $.60.
Wethers, $8.50 to $9.25.
Stockers and feeders, $13.75 to $14.25.

**Chicago Cash Grain.**

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, $1.82¾ to $1.81¾.

CORN—No. 4 yellow, 72½c to 74½c; No. 4 mixed, 69½c to 71c; No. 4 white, 69¾c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 41c to 42c; No. 3 white, 41c to 42c.

HAY—Timothy, $6.50 to $7.65; clover, $28 to $32.

RYE—No. 1, $1.02½.

BARLEY—68½c to 73c.

**Chicago Grain Table.**

| WHEAT | open | high | low | close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Old | | | | |
| May | $1.74⅜ | $1.74½ | $1.73⅝ | $1.73⅝ |
| New | | | | |
| May | $1.76½ | $1.76⅝ | $1.74½ | $1.74⅝ |
| July | $1.55¼ | $1.55¼ | $1.53⅝ | $1.53¾ |
| Sept. | $1.46½ | $1.46⅞ | $1.45⅝ | $1.45⅝ |
| CORN— | | | | |
| May | $ .83¼ | $ .83¼ | $ .82⅝ | $ .82½ |
| July | $ .85⅜ | $ .85⅞ | $ .85¼ | $ .85⅜ |
| Sept. | $ .87⅛ | $ .87¼ | $ .86⅜ | $ .86⅜ |

**Kansas City Grain, Hay, Produce.**

WHEAT—111 cars; hard, unchanged to ½c lowr; red, unchanged to ½c lower; No. 2 hard, $1.73 to $1.79½; No. 3 hard, $1.72 to $1.78; No. 3 red, $1.85 to $1.86; No. 3 red, $1.82 to $1.85.

CORN—77 cars; market unchanged to 1c lower; No. 2 mixed, 72½c to 73½c; No. 3 mixed, 69½c to 72c; No. 2 yellow, 73½c to 74½c; No. 3 yellow, 70½c to 73c; No. 2 white, 73½c to 74½c.

OATS—17 cars; market ¼c lower; No. 2 red, 44c to 46c; No. 2 white, 41¼c to 42c.

RYE—92c to 94c.

HAY—Prairie, choice, $12 to $13; timothy, No. 1, $19 to $20; alfalfa, choice, $21.50 to $23.50.

Eggs, 28c; butter, 48c; packing, 28c; hens, 24½c; turkeys and young toms, 41c; broilers, 35c; ducks, 25c; geese, 16c.

**Closing Grain Review.**

Chicago, Feb. 6.—Grain futures dropped in today's short session on the Chicago Board of Trade. Wheat weakened and the bear influences spread to small grains. Increased pressure within the last half hour of trading was responsible for wheat's fractionally lower finish. For the major part of the session values moved within a narrow range. A spurt of buying by eastern houses and shorts based on the unexpected strength in Liverpool ran opening prices up shortly. On the bulge, enough selling came out to check the advance.. Pressure at the finish followed entrance of commission houses as sellers and evening up for the week end. Cash premiums continued to drag.

Stop loss selling weakened corn. Commission house buying on resting orders for a short spell gave the market a healthy undertone.

Oats followed other grains and finished lower.

Provisions dropped in general selling based on the predictions of a heavy hog run next week.

**LOCAL MARKETS.**

| | |
|---|---|
| Eggs, per doz. | 24c |
| Cream, per lb. | 38c |
| Heavy Hens, per lb. | 21c |
| Light Hens, per lb. | 16c |
| Ducks, per lb | 15c |
| Geese, per lb. | 10c |
| Cocks, per lb. | 13c |
| Hides, per lb. | 7c |

Read the Want Ads.

## To Lecture on Egg Production and Care

C. H. Manville, a representative of the state food and dry department, will deliver a lecture on egg production and care at the high school auditorium at 7:30 o'clock next Tuesday night. The public is cordially invited to attend the lecture.

**BEDISON.**

Horseback riding is the most popular mode of travel around here right now, on account of bad roads.

Bob Allen is ill this week.

This community was saddened last week by the death of Mrs. Fred Coulter.

John Himmelberg and John Reising of Lawrence, Neb., arrived Monday for a visit at the Henry and Herman Heitman and Joe Wilmas homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Logan, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Thompson, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wynn celebrated their wedding anniversaries last Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Noah Thompson and sons, Alva and Leeland.

Frank Reilly will have a closing out sale next week. He has bought property in Maryville and will move there the first of March.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Logan and children, Evelyn and Wilfred, attended a surprise party on the latter's sister, Friday night at Bert Swearenger's.

Friends of Mrs. Catherine McGarry have received word that she and the boys arrived safely in Hollywood, California, and that they like it fine.

**WORKMAN CHAPEL**

Mrs. John Carmichael spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Heman Sears.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Tanner spent Saturday with Allie Tanner and family at Bedison and also attended a play there Saturday night.

Mrs. George Coulter and Mrs. Orville Coulter spent Tuesday with Mrs. Enis Pence.

Bert Dalrymple spent Sunday afternoon with Dale Pierson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carmichael attended the Farm Bureau meeting at Maryville Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Tanner visited with relatives at Barnard Sunday.

A large crowd attended the Ed Rickard sale Tuesday.

George Kunkle spent Saturday with Dale and Earl Pierson.

A few friends surprised Mrs. Charles Pierson Wednesday evening in honor of her birthday. It was also the birthday anniversaries of Mrs. John Knisley and George Kunkle. Games were played and a social time enjoyed by those present. Refreshments of peaches and cake were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. John Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. Enis Pence, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Workman, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Tanner, Mr. and Mrs. Will Kluth and George Kunkle, Floyd and Charles Pence, Dale, Maye and Earl Pierson, Mr. and Mrs. John Knisley and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pierson.

## Ravenwood Pupils Get An Indian Portfolio

The third and fourth grades at Ravenwood received a portfolio last week from an Indian school, the Sia Day school at San Isidro, N. Mex. This was sent to them in return for one which they sent to them before Christmas in the form of a Christmas program. The portfolio received by them, is worked out in red and green, and consists of thirteen kodak pictures of their school and church, an Indian home, a view of Sia Pueblo, a landscape scene, and photographs of Indians in various poses and costumes. The cover is red, upon which is a pottery design of white. This is painted, with various Indian motifs in red and black.

## Burlington Junction Pupils Good Readers

Standard tests in reading and arithmetic have been made recently at Burlington Junction and those above standard in reading were Alma Howell, fourth grade; and Gilbert Harry Martin, fifth grade. Eighteen pupils were average readers.

In arithmetic Francis Moses and Edwardena Harrison did 101 combinations of the multiplication tables in two and one-fourth minutes.

## Several Pupils at Skidmore Rank High

Lavena Kabel, Douglas Hill, Joe Manning, Frances Littler, Nina Hitchcock, Homer Newton, Delevan Patterson, David Mitchell, Juanita Fletchall and Leone McGinness, pupils in the Skidmore grades, had perfect spelling records last week.

Nina Hitchcock, Iva Wellington, Joe Manning, Louise Stevenson and La Vaughn Dawson recently made a rating of nine out of a possible ten, in an arithmetic test.

## Missionary Union to Meet Here Next Month

The Northwest Division of the Baptist Women's Missionary Union of Missouri, comprising fifteen associations of Baptist churches in Northwest Missouri, will hold its annual convention in Maryville March 4 and 5.

Miss Florence Marechal of St. Joseph, is the division chairman and will have charge of the program, which will be announced in a few days.

## Great Psychic Powers Credited to Burbank

Plant Wizard Tells Of Suggestion Used On Man Given Up To Die.

Santa Rosa, Calif., Feb. 6. (United Press).—Luther Burbank, plant wizard, whose recent declaration that he is an "infidel" created nation-wide comment, possesses unusual psychic powers, Conrad Leitner, Swiss psychologist, declared here.

Leitner's opinion was based on a series of experiences he carried out while a guest in the Burbank home. He achieved real success in locating hidden objects while acting with Burbank, the psychologist said.

Burbank's study of thought and mental suggestion has been the subject of several articles appearing under his name. He told Leitner of visiting a sick man some years ago who had been given up to die.

"I grasped him firmly by the hand," Burbank related, "and said to him 'tomorrow morning you will be sawing wood.'

"And the next morning he arose and did saw wood. Not only that, but he lived for ten years."

Car of Checkerboard pig meal on track, Monday and Tuesday.

VOGT & HEEKIN.

## CLOSING OUT PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public auction on the Cynthia LaMar place 1¾ miles west and 1 mile north of Sheridan, Mo., adjoining the Luteston schoolhouse, and 10 miles southeast of Hopkins, on

### WEDNESDAY, FEB. 10, 1926

Commencing at 10:00 o'clock a. m., the following described property, to-wit:

52 HEAD OF LIVESTOCK

4 HORSES—1 black matched team weighing 2800; horse and mare, one 9 years old and the other smooth mouth; 1 sorrel mare 8 years old, in foal, weight 1350; 1 coming yearling mare colt.

19 HEAD OF CATTLE—Three 3-year-old cows to be fresh soon, one giving milk; 3 red cows giving milk; one 6-year-old cow with calf by side; 1 black cow 5 years old; 2 red cows 6 years old; 2 black yearling heifers; 1 roan Shorthorn bull; 7 head short yearlings—three steers and four heifers.

16 HEAD OF HOGS—6 head of Spotted Poland-China tried sows to farrow in March; 8 head of Spotted Poland-China gilts to farrow last of March; 2 Spotted Poland-China coming yearling boars. These hogs are all eligible to register, and are from the C. P. Dowis herd.

W. E. Allen will offer a few choice Shropshire Ewes to lamb in spring.

FARM MACHINERY—One 1¼ Miller wagon; 1 Crafzer spring wagon; 1 Fordson tractor and Oliver plow in first class condition; 1 13-inch John Deere gang plow; 1 8-ft. McCormick grain binder; 1 3-section John Deere harrow; 1 6-shovel John Deere cultivator; 1 6-shovel Overland cultivator; 1 Case corn planter; 1 14-16 Case disc; 1 McCormick hay rake; 1 set of work harness. Some grain. Will offer one 1923 model Ford touring car in good condition. Other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—Cash or see your banker.

MILES SPARGUR & SON

Col. Charles Evans, Auct. Farmers Bank, Clerk.

Lunch by Ladies Aid, Churches of the Brethern.

## PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public auction at the H. T. Coulter farm, 2 miles northeast of Arkoe, or 8 miles southeast of Maryville, on

### Wednesday, February 10

commencing at 10 o'clock, the following property:

HORSES—Span geldings, coming 4 and 5 years old, well matched, weight 3300; coming 5-year-old filley, weight 1600; smooth mouth mare, weight 1500.

CATTLE—8 head of choice milk cows, some of these to freshen soon.

HOGS—10 [illegible] brood sows, to farrow in March and April; yearling [illegible] Poland-China boar.

GRAIN—15[illegible] bushels of good sound Yellow Dent corn, to be sold in lots to suit purchaser. This corn has been tested and is suitable for seed.

IMPLEMENTS—2 high wheel wagons; disc; 3 riding cultivators; walking cultivator; endgate seeder; 2 sets of work harness; 1000-bushel slat corn crib; Moline tractor, with 2-row cultivator; 3-bottom plow; stump puller, with 150-foot cable; hog feeder; DeLaval separator; 50 stands of bees; 40 empty [illegible]; 100 honey boxes; 25 shipping cases; 150-egg Queen and [illegible] Old Trusty incubator. Some household and kitchen furniture.

TERMS—3 or 6 months time on bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest, all sums under $10 cash.

Lunch by Ladies of Methodist Church of Arkoe.

H. A. COULTER

R. P. Hosmer, Auct. J. D. Richey, Clerk.

# Closing Out Sale

We will sell at public auction at the M. E. Torrey farm, 9 miles north of Maryville, three miles northwest of Pickering, on

## FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12

commencing at 10 o'clock prompt, the following property:

8 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—2 jack mules, well broke, coming 5 years old; pair coming 2-year-old fillys, good ones; mare and horse coming 10 years old; brown mare, 6-year-old; sorrel saddle pony, 8-year-old, gentle for children.

9 HEAD OF CATTLE—5 head of Jersey cows, good milkers; Jersey bull, coming 2-year-old and a good one; Guernsey milk cow, 5-year-old, extra good milker and fresh by sale date; 3-year-old Shorthorn cow; 2-year-old heifer.

56 HEAD OF HOGS—40 head of fall shoats, 11 spotted gilts, 5 head of Duroc-Jersey tried sows. All these are double immune.

IMPLEMENTS—3 wagons, 2 low wheel wagons and one high wheel; good top buggy; J. I. Case corn planter, good as new; 4 sets of work harness; end-gate seeder; 7-foot Standard mower; 5-foot McCormick mower; 10-foot self-dump hay rake; two 16-16 discs; 3 cultivators —Busy Bee 6-shovel spring-trip; New Century 6-shovel, and Jenny Lind, spring trip, 4-shovel cultivators; 3-section harrow; steel land roller; two 2-hole corn shellers; 16-inch walking plow; Rock Island lister and drill combined; 16-inch John Deere sulky plow; 1-horse wheat drill; 50 gallon Ideal hog waterer; hog oiler; 2 Ideal chicken waterers; 12 steel chicken coops; 150 fence posts.

CHICKENS—25 dozen White Leghorn hens and pullets; 240-egg Klondike incubator, nearly new.

HAY AND GRAIN—800 bushels of corn, 100 bushels Iowa 103 seed oats, about 5 tons of timothy and clover hay.

TERMS—Cash or see your banker.

Lunch by Ladies Aid of Christian Church of Pickering.

M. E. Torrey & H. C. Kellogg

R. P. Hosmer, Auct. A. K. Frank, Clerk.

Sunny hours through a scenic wonderland then California

Where the warmth of spring awaits you and your family

Santa Fe "all the way" the ideal route to California.

Fred Harvey dining service—another exclusive Santa Fe feature is supreme in the transportation world. Through Pullmans via Grand Canyon National Park—

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Geo. W. Hagenbuch
Div. Passenger Agt.
719 Walnut St.
Kansas City, Mo.


## Public Sale February 9th

Sale starts at 10 a. m.

Having rented my farm, I will sell at public auction on my farm 9 miles southeast of Maryville, 5 miles northwest of Conception Junction, 1½ miles northeast of Bedison, the following property:

9 HEAD OF HORSES AND MARES — 8 head ranging from 5 to 8 years old, will weigh from 1300 to 1750 lbs, good ones; 1 aged mare.

28 HEAD OF CATTLE—11 good milk cows; 7 coming 2 year-old steers and 7 coming 2-year-old heifers; 2 calves and 1 red bull, coming 3 years old.

HAY AND GRAIN—800 bushels of corn; 250 bushels of old corn, good enough for seed, balance 1925 crop. 400 bushels of oats; 12 tons of hay in stack. Some bluegrass pasture.

IMPLEMENTS—good enclosed buggy; wagon; cultivator; harrow; lister and drill; 2 corn planters; mowing machine; 2 sets of harness. Between 2,000 and 3,000 good hedge posts; corner posts and fence posts; several loads of hedge wood.

Household Goods, including two good heating stoves.

100 Plymouth Rock chickens.

TERMS—Usual.

Mrs. Rose Riley

Col. R. P. Hosmer, Auct. Nodaway Valley Bank, Clerk.

Lunch by Parent-Teacher Association of Bedison School.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Funeral Directors 1

THE FUNCTION

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CUMMINS & WRAY FUNERAL SERVICE

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Nursery Stock 4

WE ARE NOT ON THE AIR constantly, but we are in Maryville, to furnish our patrons all the best and most satisfying lines of staple nursery stock; always at a substantial saving in prices, quality considered.

MURRAY NURSERIES

MARYVILLE SEED HOUSE Will sell you any kind of farm or garden seed worth the money. Let us prove it to you.—Smith and Braniger.

Professional 8

Dr. William J. Powell

Osteopathic Physician

318½ North Main Street

Phone Hanamo 485

Dr. K. Sears

Deputy State Veterinary

Calls answered promptly day or night.

Hanamo 740-265 Farmers 97-97½

Lost 10

LOST—One drum of compressed gas on Maryville-Skidmore road.—Finder notify Banner Bottling Works.

## AUTOMOTIVE

Automobiles for Sale 12

Bargains In

Used Cars

1—1921 Buick Touring.
1—1921 Hupmobile Touring.
1—1920 Dodge Commercial.
1—1923 Ford Roadster, starter.
1—1920 Ford Roadster, starter.
1—1923 Durant Touring.

RABORN McCOMB MOTOR CO.
Lowery Hardware Bldg.
Studebaker Sales and Service

Automobiles for Sale 12

FOR SALE—Late 1923 Ford Truck. First class shape. Some stock cattle. Oliver McNeal, Skidmore.

Dodge Brothers

USED CARS AT LOWER PRICES

1—1926 Dodge A Sedan.
1—1924 Dodge Coupe.
1—1923 Dodge Coupe.
1—1922 Dodge Touring.
1—1920 Buick Six.
1—1924 Ford Tudor; Balloon Tires.
1—Ford Touring, $25.

ARNOLD STRONG MOTOR CO.
Dodge Brothers
Sales and Service

Some Good
USED CAR VALUES

1924 Buick Master-6 Roadster; balloon tires, good.
1923 Buick Sport Touring, extra good.
1920 Buick-Six Touring.
1923 Chevrolet Coupe.

GEORGE MCMURRY
Buick Sales and Service.

OUTSTANDING
Used Car Values

1—1925 Ford Touring.
2—1924 Ford Roadsters.
2—1923 Durant Tourings.
2—Cheap Ford Tourings.
2—Ford Tourings, glass inclosure.
1—1920 Buick 5-passenger Touring.

SEWELL AUTO CO.
Willys Overland Fine Motor Cars
Maryville, Mo.

Hudson Essex

1925 Tudor, Balloon Tires.
1926 New Ford Touring, balloon tires.
1924 Hudson Coach.
1924 Essex Touring.
1921 Dodge Touring.
1923 Ford Touring.
1921 Ford Touring.
1922 Ford Coupe.
1923 Ford Sedan.
1918 Buick Touring.
1918 Hupmobile Touring.

HUDSON-CARLSON MOTOR CO.
Hudson Sales and Service
Kramer Garage

GUARANTEED
FORD USED CARS

2—1925 Tourings.
2—1924 Tourings.
1—1924 Roadster.
3—1922 Coupes.
1—1921 Coupe.
3-One-Ton Trucks

Also several Ford, Buick and Dodge cars of older models not guaranteed, but good for a lot of service at a price that will surprise you.

BARMANN AUTO COMPANY
Maryville's Oldest Automobile Dealer.

Garages, Taxis 14

PICKERING TAXI—I leave Pickering 7 a. m., Maryville, 5 p. m. Any place in either town, 25c.—T. M. Walton, Pickering.

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IS YOUR FURNACE BURNING TOO MUCH COAL

Furnaces, if properly installed will not burn an excessive amount of coal. If your furnace is burning more than it should—calls us, and we will assist you in finding the fault.

Our expert advice is at your service. If you are thinking of installing a new furnace see us.

HEIDEMAN and LEET

Coal, Wood Etc. 20

Shoemaker-Bovard

Transfer, Storage, Coal and Sand.

WE SOLICIT YOUR INQUIRY.

Car Royalton Franklin County, Illinois, Lump Coal Just Arrived.

$8.75 to $9.00 per ton

No Soot or Clinkers. Burns to White Ash.

WM. EVERHART
Coal—Wood—Feed

## EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Female 26

WANTED—Assistant cook, age 35 to 45; married woman preferred; small institution.—Call Miss Stowell, Hanamo 678 or 2864.

WOMEN—Wanting homework; everywhere; all kinds. Turn spare moments into golden hours. Particulars free. Write at once.—Golden Hours Department, A323, Box EE, Chicago.

## ...to Want Ad Users

All Counter Classified Advertising is strictly cash. All Classified Advertising mailed to this office must be accompanied by cash.

All Classified Advertising telephoned to this office will be accepted, but Want Ad Taker will give you the amount that the advertisement will come to for a given time, and we request that you remit amount at once to this office. Statement for Telephoned Classified Advertising will be sent out on the day of first insertion. If payment is made within three days it will be the amount of the statement. After the third day add 5 cents to the amount on statement, and 5 cents every third day thereafter.

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Read carefully the (Tabulation of Rates) appearing daily at the head of the Want-Ad Column, and you will have no trouble in figuring out what your advertisement will cost.

THE DEMOCRAT-FORUM AND TRIBUNE

Help Wanted—Male 27

STRAIGHT SALARY—$35 per week and expenses. Man or woman with rig to introduce Poultry Mixture.—Eureka Mfg. Co., East St. Louis, Ill.

## LIVESTOCK

Poultry and Supplies 33

BABY CHICKS

Heavy breeds, $14 per 100; Leghorns, $12 per 100. Five per cent discount on all orders received 3 weeks before chicks are wanted. Terms one-half cash with order. Custom hatching.

GRAY'S HATCHERY,
402 East Sixth Street, Maryville, Mo.

BUFF ORPINGTONS—Better than ever. New blood each year. Certified breeding. The kind that LAYS, Weighs and Pays. Eggs-range $7 per 100, pen $5 per 50.—Mrs. R. T. Lamar, Elmo, Missouri.

FOR SALE—125-egg Queen incubator, $10.—Mrs. Harry Fisher, Farmers 34-18.

WANTED—White Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching. Call or write T. C. Gray, 402 East Sixth Street, Maryville, Mo.

Horses, Cattle, Swine 34

FOR SALE—A few fall boar pigs; ready for service; double immune.—Lawrence Ogden.

FOR SALE—20 Shropshire ewes, 3 years and under, to lamb soon; healthy condition.—H. R. Council, Graham.

FOR SALE—Couple work horses, one coming 4 years old, broke, gentle; other 7 years old. Both sound. Three milk cows, two ready to freshen within two weeks, and one already fresh. John Bosch, Pickering, Phone 45Y.

FOR SALE—Horses and Mules, some broke, all fair condition.—W. A. Hayworth, Graham, Mo.

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FOR SALE—White Spitz puppies.—W. D. Williams.

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FOR SALE—300 hedge fence posts. Route One Maryville.—C. E. Walton.

FOR SALE—Home grown Early Ohio potatoes; country lard.—D. O. Belt.

THE BEST TREES—Stark Brothers. The best apples, Stark's Delicious and Stark's Golden Delicious.—Alex Holt, Agent.

FOR SALE—Seed corn, 2,000 bushels of old corn; yellow dent, $2 bushel at crib, 1 mile south of Pickering.—W. A. Burks.

We have in stock all models of the improved Rullman washers, including triple speed types, in copper and wood tubs, and single speed in galvanized and wood tubs. Get our prices.

RICHARDS AND SON HDW.

FOR SALE

Approximately 13 tons timothy and clover hay, located 2½ miles West Conception Junction.

CASE FURNITURE EXCHANGE

NEVER buy any used furniture until you have first visited our "trade in" furniture department in the rear of our store.—Price Furniture Co.

Articles for Sale 37

FOR SALE—DeForest 4-tube radio, Columbia victrola with records, and New Perfection oil cook stove.—Call 5546.

FOR SALE—Majestic range, good condition.—Call Remus Mercantile Store.

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Apartments and Flats 39

FOR RENT—Apartment, 8-rooms, modern; South Main.—Fred Smith, County Clerk's Office.

Houses for Rent 42

FOR RENT—6-room house.—P. D. Sullivan, Farmers 124-11.

FOR RENT—8-room modern house two blocks from square. Priced right.—Hanamo 470.

Houses for Rent 42

FOR RENT—6-room house, modern except heat.—Dr. K. C. Cummins.

Rooms for Rent 43

FOR RENT—Four modern furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Two rooms up stairs and two down stairs. Also two garages. Call Hanamo 3511 or this office.

Rooms for Rent 43

FOR RENT—Four light housekeeping rooms with private bath.—Lloyd B. Heifner.

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FOR SALE—Two choice 160-acre farms well located, in high state of cultivation, well improved, some new buildings, water system on both of them. 3½ and 4 miles to good market. Price positively right.—Herndon & Doffing.

FOR SALE—80-acre farm, one mile south Pickering; 7-room house with furnace; 3 barns; 2 double corn cribs; electric lights and power; 30 native ewes; some Jersey cattle.—Ery Bosch, Pickering.

EXCHANGE—118-acres, lays fine, no waste land. Eight-room modern house. Other improvements correspond, $125 per acre. Want income, acreage or small farm near some town.—Robert Finley, College Springs, Iowa.

Houses for Sale 47

FOR SALE

All modern 8-room house, 2 lots; located West, $6,000; 6-room, 2 lots, $3,500.

C. D. ALLEN
119 East Fourth Street

FOR SALE—7-room modern house full lot. Paved street, full basement, garage; West Side, $4,000 cash. Bargain. You will have to act quickly.—Yeo Brothers.

FOR SALE—Small house close to Central High School. Bargain if sold now.—Inquire at Blatter's Market.

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RESOLUTION NUMBER A 28.

A RESOLUTION FOR GRADING, PAVING, CURBING AND OTHERWISE IMPROVING FIFTH STREET FROM THE WEST LINE OF BUCHANAN STREET TO THE CENTER LINE OF MULBERRY STREET, IN THE CITY OF MARYVILLE, MISSOURI.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS, TO-WIT:

SECTION 1.

That it is hereby declared necessary to bring to the established grade, pave, curb and otherwise improve the roadway of the following streets in the City of Maryville, Missouri:

Fifth street from the west line of Buchanan street to the center line of Mulberry street, including the street and alley returns to a distance of three feet from face of curb at intersections.

With a width of roadway of twenty-three feet and eleven inches from face of curb to face of curb and twenty-five feet and five inches at the intersecting streets and twelve feet on all intersecting alleys.

SECTION 2.

That said grading shall consist of bringing the roadway of said street to the established grade as provided for by Ordinance Number 1085 of the City of Maryville, Missouri, by cuts and fills and by excavation sufficient to provide for the aforesaid paving, as shown by a profile of said street now on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Said paving shall consist of seven inch reinforced concrete paving, laid on a well rolled sub-base.

The curb shall consist of integral curb, constructed of concrete. The curb shall be five inches wide at the top and six inches at the bottom and an average depth of thirteen inches. All the aforesaid improvements shall be constructed in strict accordance with the specifications, plans and profiles therefor now on file in the office of the City Clerk, filed under date of January 29, 1926.

SECTION 3.

Said improvement before described is less than twelve hundred feet in length and connects at both ends with paving, guttering, curbing, grading and other improvements and on that and other streets, and the Council declares the aforesaid work and improvements necessary to be had and done, and anyone desiring to do so may appear before the Council of said City of Maryville, Missouri, at the City Hall in said City, in the basement of the Carnegie Library Building, at seven-thirty o'clock p. m. on the 15th day of February, 1926, and be heard on the question of the necessity of the work sought to be done as set forth in the above and foregoing Resolution.

SECTION 4.

That the cost of said work, to-wit: Grading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving, including the cost of bringing said street to the established grade, shall be levied as a special assessment upon all lots and tracts of land upon either side of said street improvements, abutting thereon as provided by law and special tax bills bearing interest at the rate of eight per cent per annum after thirty days shall be issued to the contractor for payment of said work.

SECTION 5.

This Resolution shall be published for seven consecutive insertions in the Daily Democrat-Forum and Maryville Tribune, a daily newspaper published in said city.

Passed and approved this 5th day of February, 1926.

(Seal) W. O. GARRETT, Mayor.
Attest: MERLE C. SMITH, City Clerk.

(Feb. 6-8-9-10-11-12-13)

RESOLUTION NUMBER A29

A RESOLUTION FOR GRADING, PAVING, CURBING AND OTHERWISE IMPROVING WALNUT STREET FROM THE CENTER LINE OF HALSEY STREET TO THIRTEEN FEET SOUTH OF THE NORTH LINE OF LINCOLN STREET, IN THE CITY OF MARYVILLE, MISSOURI.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS, TO-WIT:

SECTION 1.

That it is hereby declared necessary to bring to the established grade, pave, curb and otherwise improve the roadway of the following streets in the City of Maryville, Missouri:

Walnut Street from the Center line of Halsey Street to Thirteen Feet South of the North line of Lincoln Street, including the street and alley returns to a distance of three feet from face of curb at intersections.

With a width of roadway of twenty feet from face of curb to face of curb and 25 feet and 5 inches at the intersecting streets and 12 feet on all intersecting alleys.

SECTION 2.

That said grading shall consist of bringing the roadway of said street to the established grade as provided for by Ordinance Number 1004 of the City of Maryville, Missouri, by cuts and fills and by excavation sufficient to provided for the aforsaid paving as shown by a profile of said street now on file in the office of the City Clerk

Said paving shall consist of seven inch reinforced concrete paving, laid on a well rolled sub-base.

The curb shall consist of integral curb, constructed of concrete. The curb shall be five inches wide at the top and six inches at the bottom and an average depth of thirteen inches. All the aforesaid improvements shall be constructed in strict accordance with the specifications, plans and profiles therefor now on file in the office of the City Clerk, filed under date of January 29th, 1926.

SECTION 3.

Said improvement before described is less than Twelve Hundred feet in length and connects at both ends with paving, guttering, curbing, grading and other improvements on other streets, and the Council declares the aforesaid work and improvements necessary to be had and done, and anyone desiring to do so may appear before the Council of said City of Maryville, Missouri, at the City Hall in said City, in the basement of the Carnegie Library Building, at seven-thirty o'clock p. m., on the 15th day of February, 1926, and be heard on the question of the necessity of the work sought to be done as set forth in the above and foregoing Resolution.

SECTION 4.

That the cost of said work, to-wit: Grading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving, including the cost of bringing said street to the established grade, shall be levied as a special assessment upon all lots and tracts of land upon either side of said street improvements, abutting thereon as provided by law and special tax bills bearing interest at the rate of eight per cent per annum after thirty days shall be issued to the contractor for payment of said work.

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Attest: MERLE C. SMITH, City Clerk.

LEGAL NOTICES.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS, TO-WIT:

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With a width of roadway of twenty-three feet and eleven inches from face of curb to face of curb and twenty-five feet and five inches at the intersecting streets and twelve feet on all intersecting alleys.

SECTION 2.

That said grading shall consist of bringing the roadway of said street to the established grade as provided for by Ordinance Number 1085 of the City of Maryville, Missouri, by cuts and fills and by excavation sufficient to provide for the aforesaid paving, as shown by a profile of said street now on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Said paving shall consist of seven inch reinforced concrete paving, laid on a well rolled sub-base.

The curb shall consist of integral curb, constructed of concrete. The curb shall be five inches wide at the top and six inches at the bottom and an average depth of thirteen inches. All the aforesaid improvements shall be constructed in strict accordance with the specifications, plans and profiles therefor now on file in the office of the City Clerk, filed under date of January 29, 1926.

SECTION 3.

Said improvement before described is less than twelve hundred feet in length and connects at both ends with paving, guttering, curbing, grading and other improvements and on that and other streets, and the Council declares the aforesaid work and improvements necessary to be had and done, and anyone desiring to do so may appear before the Council of said City of Maryville, Missouri, at the City Hall in said City, in the basement of the Carnegie Library Building, at seven-thirty o'clock p. m. on the 15th day of February, 1926, and be heard on the question of the necessity of the work sought to be done as set forth in the above and foregoing Resolution.

SECTION 4.

That the cost of said work, to-wit: Grading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving, including the cost of bringing said street to the established grade, shall be levied as a special assessment upon all lots and tracts of land upon either side of said street improvements, abutting thereon as provided by law and special tax bills bearing interest at the rate of eight per cent per annum after thirty days shall be issued to the contractor for payment of said work.

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(Feb. 6-8-9-10-11-12-13)

RESOLUTION NUMBER A29

A RESOLUTION FOR GRADING, PAVING, CURBING AND OTHERWISE IMPROVING WALNUT STREET FROM THE CENTER LINE OF HALSEY STREET TO THIRTEEN FEET SOUTH OF THE NORTH LINE OF LINCOLN STREET, IN THE CITY OF MARYVILLE, MISSOURI.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS, TO-WIT:

SECTION 1.

That it is hereby declared necessary to bring to the established grade, pave, curb and otherwise improve the roadway of the following streets in the City of Maryville, Missouri:

Walnut Street from the Center line of Halsey Street to Thirteen Feet South of the North line of Lincoln Street, including the street and alley returns to a distance of three feet from face of curb at intersections.

With a width of roadway of twenty feet from face of curb to face of curb and 25 feet and 5 inches at the intersecting streets and 12 feet on all intersecting alleys.

SECTION 2.

That said grading shall consist of bringing the roadway of said street to the established grade as provided for by Ordinance Number 1004 of the City of Maryville, Missouri, by cuts and fills and by excavation sufficient to provided for the aforsaid paving as shown by a profile of said street now on file in the office of the City Clerk

Said paving shall consist of seven inch reinforced concrete paving, laid on a well rolled sub-base.

The curb shall consist of integral curb, constructed of concrete. The curb shall be five inches wide at the top and six inches at the bottom and an average depth of thirteen inches. All the aforesaid improvements shall be constructed in strict accordance with the specifications, plans and profiles therefor now on file in the office of the City Clerk, filed under date of January 29th, 1926.

SECTION 3.

Said improvement before described is less than Twelve Hundred feet in length and connects at both ends with paving, guttering, curbing, grading and other improvements on other streets, and the Council declares the aforesaid work and improvements necessary to be had and done, and anyone desiring to do so may appear before the Council of said City of Maryville, Missouri, at the City Hall in said City, in the basement of the Carnegie Library Building, at seven-thirty o'clock p. m., on the 15th day of February, 1926, and be heard on the question of the necessity of the work sought to be done as set forth in the above and foregoing Resolution.

SECTION 4.

That the cost of said work, to-wit: Grading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving, including the cost of bringing said street to the established grade, shall be levied as a special assessment upon all lots and tracts of land upon either side of said street improvements, abutting thereon as provided by law and special tax bills bearing interest at the rate of eight per cent per annum after thirty days shall be issued to the contractor for payment of said work.

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Attest: MERLE C. SMITH, City Clerk.

(Feb. 6-8-9-10-11-12-13)

RESOLUTION NUMBER A 30.

A RESOLUTION FOR GRADING, PAVING, CURBING AND OTHERWISE IMPROVING WALNUT STREET FROM THE SOUTH LINE OF FIRST STREET TO EIGHTEEN FEET SOUTH OF THE NORTH LINE OF THOMPSON STREET, IN THE CITY OF MARYVILLE, MISSOURI.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS, TO-WIT:

SECTION 1.

That it is hereby declared necessary to bring to the established grade, pave, curb and otherwise improve the roadway of the following streets in the City of Maryville, Missouri:

Walnut Street from the South line of First Street to Eighteen feet South of the North line of Thompson Street, including the street and alley returns to a distance of three feet from face of curb at intersections.

With a width of roadway of twenty feet from face of curb to face of curb and 25 feet and 5 inches at the intersecting streets and 12 feet on all intersecting alleys.

SECTION 2.

That said grading shall consist of bringing the roadway of said street to the established grade as provided for by Ordinance Number 1004 of the City of Maryville, Missouri, by cuts and fills and by excavation sufficient to provide for the aforesaid paving, as shown by a profile of said street now on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Said paving shall consist of seven inch reinforced concrete paving, laid on a well rolled sub-base.

The curb shall consist of integral curb, constructed of concrete. The curb shall be five inches wide at the top and six inches at the bottom and an average depth of thirteen inches. All the aforesaid improvements shall be constructed, in strict accordance with the specifications, plans and profiles therefore now on file in the office of the City Clerk, filed under date of January 29th, 1926.

SECTION 3.

Said improvement before described is less than Twelve Hundred feet in length and connects at both ends with paving, guttering, curbing, grading and other improvements on other streets, and the Council declares the aforesaid work and improvements necessary to be had and done, and anyone desiring to do so may appear before the Council of said City of Maryville, Missouri, at the City Hall in said City, in the basement of the Carnegie Library Building, at seven-thirty o'clock p. m., on the 15th day of February, 1926, and be heard on the question of the necessity of the work sought to be done as set forth in the above and foregoing Resolution.

SECTION 4.

That the cost of said work, to-wit: Grading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving, including the cost of bringing said street to the established grade, shall be levied as a special assessment upon all lots and tracts of land upon either side of said street improvements, abutting thereon as provided by law and special tax bills bearing interest at the rate of eight per cent per annum after thirty days shall be issued to the contractor for payment of said work.

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(Feb. 6-8-9-10-11-12-13)

RESOLUTION NUMBER A 31.

A RESOLUTION FOR GRADING, PAVING, CURBING AND OTRERWISE IMPROVING WALNUT STREET FROM THE SOUTH LINE OF FOURTH STREET TO THE SOUTH LINE OF FIRST STREET, IN THE CITY OF MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, EXCEPT THE PAVED PORTIONS OF THE INTERSECTIONS AT FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD STREETS.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS, TO-WIT:

SECTION 1.

That it is hereby declared necessary to bring to the established grade, pave, curb and otherwise improve the roadway of the following streets in the City of Maryville, Missouri:

Walnut street from the south line of fourth street to the south line of First street, including the street and alley returns to a distance of three feet from face of curb at intersections, except the paved portion of the intersections at First, second and Third streets.

With a width of roadway of twenty feet from face of curb to face of curb and 25 feet and 5 inches at the intersecting streets and 12 feet on all intersecting alleys.

SECTION 2.

That said grading shall consist of bringing the roadway of said street to the established grade as provided for by Ordinance Number 1004 of the City of Maryville, Missouri, by cuts and fills and by excavation sufficient to provide for the aforesaid paving, as shown by a profile of said street now on file in the office of the City Clerk, filed under date of January 29th, 1926.

SECTION 3.

Said improvement before described is less than Twelve Hundred feet in length and connects at both ends with paving, guttering, curbing, grading and other improvements on other streets, and the Council declares the aforesaid work and improvements necessary to be had and done, and anyone desiring to do so may appear before the Council of said City of Maryville, Missouri, at the City Hall in said City, in the basement of the Carnegie Library Building, at seven-thirty o'clock p. m., on the 15th day of February, 1926, and be heard on the question of the necessity of the work sought to be done as set forth in the above and foregoing Resolution.

SECTION 4.

That the cost of said work, to-wit: Grading, paving, curbing and otherwise improving, including the cost of bringing said street to the established grade, shall be levied as a special assessment upon all lots and tracts of land upon either side of said street improvements, abutting thereon as provided by law and special tax bills bearing interest at the rate of eight per cent per annum after thirty days shall be issued to the contractor for payment of said work.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

With a width of roadway of twenty feet from face of curb to face of curb and 25 feet and 5 inches at the intersecting streets and 12 feet on all intersecting alleys.

SECTION 2.

That said grading shall consist of bringing the roadway of said street to the established grade as provided for by Ordinances Number 1004 and 1085 of the City of Maryville, Missouri, by cuts and fills and by excavation sufficient to provide for the aforesaid paving, as shown by a profile of said street now on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Said paving shall consist of seven inch reinforced concrete paving, laid on a well rolled sub-base.

The curb shall consist of integral curb, constructed of concrete. The curb shall be five inches wide at the top and six inches at the bottom and an average depth of thirteen inches. All the aforesaid improvements shall be constructed, in strict accordance with the specifications, plans and profiles therefore now on file in the office of the City Clerk, filed under date of January 29th, 1926.

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Attest: MERLE C. SMITH, City Clerk.

## LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE: And Don't Look Back

I'M AN ATTORNEY, SIR— A CITIZEN OF STANDING IN THIS COMMUNITY— AND I WAS BEATEN BY THIS POLICEMAN— IT'S DISGRACEFUL, SIR— I DEMAND THAT THIS OFFICER BE BROKEN— I KNOW MY RIGHTS—
WELL, WELL—
NOW LISTEN, FLAM— I'VE GOT YOUR STORY FROM THE TIME YOU HIT THIS END OF TOWN SOME YEARS AGO— IT'S A DIRTY STORY, SEE? AND I'M GOING TO WRITE "THE END" TO IT SO YOU CAN START A BETTER ONE SOME WHERE ELSE— ALL RIGHT, BOYS—
ALL RIGHT, FELLER— WHADDYE SAY TO A LITTLE RIDE?
THERE HE IS, BOYS— YOU KNOW YOUR ORDERS—
DON'T WORRY, ANNIE— WE DON'T STOOP TO MURDER— WHEN THEY GET HIM TO THE CITY LIMITS THEY'LL LET HIM "ESCAPE"— BUT HE'LL BE NERVOUS ENOUGH BY THEN TO TRAVEL FAST FOR A LONG TIME I THINK— AND HIS KIND DON'T COME BACK FOR MORE—
HAROLD GRAY

# 2 GAMES AT H. S. TONIGHT

BENTON AND BETHANY TO MEET LOCALS.

## ARE KEEN COMPETITION

Girls Team To Have Altered Line-Up Regular Boys' Quintet To Start.

Both Maryville High School basketball teams will be seen in action tonight. At 7:30 o'clock the girls' team will play the sextet from Bethany High School, and following this the Spoofhounds, the boys' team will meet the quintet from St. Joseph Benton High School.

Both of these games promise to be exciting and close. Miss Ruth Bookman has been working her girls overtime this week in an effort to obliterate certain little deficiencies which were evident from the game at College Springs, Ia., last week. She will start a slightly altered line-up against Bethany. Captain Wray and Puckett will start at forwards, Miller and Davis will be the centers, and Wright and Smith will be guards. This line-up will be changed early in the game if it does not prove effective against the visitors.

Coach Herbert will start his regulars against Benton, which team will arrive in Maryville about 6 o'clock tonight. McKee and Swinford will be the forwards, Captain Kissinger will be center, and Locke and Petty will be guards.

"Red" Houston of Pickering will referee, H. L. Raines will be timer, and Ray Hull will keep score.

## Parnell High School Wins Double-Header

Parnell High School won a double-header from the Grant City teams last night. The score of the boys' game was 15 to 8, and the girls' game was 10 to 8. The latter game was particularly close.

## Four Extra Periods Needed for Victory

Skidmore Defeats Holt County Consolidated No. 1 in 27-to-25 Game Last Night.

Four extra periods were necessary for Skidmore High School to defeat the team from Holt County Consolidated No. 1 in basketball last night at Skidmore. At the end of the half, the visitors were leading 17 to 11, but in the last two quarters the Skidmore team spurted and when the gun sounded the score was 25-25. The final score was 27 to 25.

Linville of Skidmore and Weherlie of Consolidated each scored 12 points.

In a preliminary game, the Skidmore girls won from the Holt County team, 17 to 11.

## M. U.-K. U. Grid Game Date Up to Prexies

Student Body At Jayhawk School Wants Event On Saturday Before Thanksgiving.

Lawrence, Kans., Feb. 6.—(United Press).—The matter of the date for the annual Missouri-Kansas football game now rests in the hands of Chancellor Lindley, Kansas, and president Stratton D. Brooks, Missouri, according to a report here.

Chester Brewer, director of athletics at Missouri, was here conferring with members of the athletic board with regard to whether the game should be played on the Saturday before Thanksgiving or on Thanksgiving day.

Dr. F. C. Allen, director of athletics at the University of Kansas, stated that the matter rested with the two heads of the schools, but would say nothing with regard to the conference in the absence of Chancellor Lindley who is out of the city.

Recently the students here decided the game should be played on the Saturday before Thanksgiving, but what decision may definitely be made by the two heads, is not known.

## Tiger Cagers Nose Out Kansas Aggies

Columbia, Mo., Feb. 6.—McDounough's field goal and McMillan's free throw in the last minute of play, enabled the University of Missouri basketball team to defeat the Kansas Aggies, 25 to 22, here tonight. Both teams played even from the first whistle until the final spurt of the Tigers which gave them their first victory on the home court and the second victory of the season.

Referee—Fenega, South Dakota.

The line-up:

| MISSOURI (25)— | G. | FT. |
|---|---|---|
| McDounnough, lf | 2 | 0 |
| McMillan, rf | 3 | 2 |
| Channon, c | 1 | 1 |
| Buehner, lg | 2 | 1 |
| Flamank, rg | 1 | 3 |
| TOTAL | 9 | 7 |

| KANSAS AGGIES (22)— | G. | FT. |
|---|---|---|
| Byers, lf | 3 | 4 |
| Mertel, rf | 0 | 0 |
| Tebow, c | 5 | 1 |
| Koch, lg | 0 | 1 |
| Edwards, rg | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL | 8 | 6 |

## Ravenwood Loses to Conception College

High School Girls Defeat Alumni in Curtain-Raiser Played Last Night.

The Conception College basketball team last night won from the Ravenwood High School quintet at Ravenwood, 16 to 10. As a curtain raiser, the Ravenwood girls defeated the alumni, 28 to 10.

Conn of Ravenwood refereed.

Next week Hopkins will play at Ravenwood.

## Kirksville Wins From Junior College, 30-13

The Kirksville State Teachers College basketball team won a one-sided tilt from St. Joseph Junior College at St. Joseph last night. The score was 30 to 18. In the final period, the visitors completely baffled their opponents with the short-pass game.

## Kuck Heaves Shot for a New Indoor Record

Kansas City, Feb. 6.—John Kuck of the Kansas State Teachers' college, Emporia, Kan., smashed the world's indoor shotput record in the twenty-first annual K. C. A. C. indoor track meet here last night. He heaved the shot 49 feet ¼ inch. The former record was 48 feet 9 inches, held by R. H. Hills, New York City, and was established in February, 1923.

## And Now We Have Radio Service on Basketball Games

The Democrat-Forum and Tribune has established a radio service on basketball games. Norvall Sayler, correspondent for this paper at Hopkins, managed and operates Radio Station 9EAO at Hopkins. Last night the following radiogram to this paper was received through the courtesy of Edward Tindall operator of Station 9BQS in Maryville:

"On account of date misunderstanding, double-header basketball games to have been played tonight between Hopkins and Burlington Junction were cancelled. Much disappointments shown. Hopkins plays at Ravenwood next Friday."

Basketball Results.

Arkansas, 35; Texas, 12.
Texas A. & M., 32; S. M. U., 30.
Drake, 26; Iowa State, 22.
Dickinson, 42; George Wash., 23.
Grove City, 33; U. of Pittsburgh, 27.
U. of Cincinnati, 31; Denison, 27.
Grinnel, 27; Oklahoma A. & M., 25.
Louisiana State U., 30; Tulane, 23.
Missouri U., 25; Kansas Aggies, 23.
U. of Wyo., 27; Denver U., 22.
Colo. S. of M., 18; Colo. College, 17.
Wisconsin, 34; Butler, 24.
Idaho Tech., 21; Montana S. fresh., 15.
Bethel, 53; Salina Wesleyan, 23.
St. John's U., 34, McAlster, 28.
Morningside, 28; Wesleyan, 21.
No. Dak., Ag. 43; St. Thomas C., 26.
New Coliseum A. C., 36; Washburn, 27.
Vanderbilt U., 21; Miss. A. & M., 20.
Hardin, 18; Central, 15.
Culver-Stockton girls, 30; Gem City girls, 11.
Wesleyan, 21; Sterling, 15.
Bethany, 30; Hays, 17.

## Barnard Wins Two Out of Three Last Night

Burlington Junction Second Team Wins, But First Teams Are Defeated.

Barnard High School won two out of three basketball games played with Burlington Junction at Barnard last night. In the first game, the Junction seconds won a close contest, 12 to 10. At the half, Burlington was leading 7 to 5.

The Barnard girls gained a 4-point advantage over the visiting sextet, and won 23 to 19. Bare, forward scored 18 points.

Baker was high point man in the boys' game, scoring 13 points for Barnard. Monk, Burlington Junction center, made 10 points.

This makes the fourth straight victory for the Barnard quintet.

## Cantata to Be Given as a Vesper Service

First Practice For Feature Of Palm Sunday To Be Thursday Night.

The cantata, "The Triumph of the Cross," which was scheduled for the night of Good Friday at the Presbyterian Church, will be given instead as a vesper service at 4 o'clock on the afternoon of Palm Sunday, it was announced today by Bernhardt Bronson, director.

This decision came after a meeting of the ministerial alliance, at which cooperation of all the churches was pledged. The place where the cantata will be held has not been determined.

The music has arrived in Maryville, and the first rehearsal will be at 7:30 o'clock Thursday at the Presbyterian Church.

## Aged Contractor at St. Joseph Is Dead

St. Joseph, Feb. 6.—Benning D. Elliot, 83, widely-known contractor and Civil War veteran, dead at his home here. Among the large buildings he constructed in St. Joseph are the state hospital, the Buchanan County courthouse and the board of trade building. A wife and five children survive.

James Edward Gray Post No. 100

## AMERICAN LEGION

Regular meeting Monday night at 7:30. Installation of officers. The officers of the Legion Auxiliary will be installed at the same time. All Legion and Auxiliary members are requested to be present. Meeting will be held in V. F. W. quarters.

JOHN MUTZ, Commander.
FRED WAGGONER, Adj.

# BASKETBALL TONIGHT

BOYS AND GIRLS TEAMS
BENTON VS. SPOOFHOUNDS BETHANY VS. GIRLS

Games start at 7:30 o'clock. HIGH SCHOOL GYM
Admission 50c. Students, College and High School, 35c


# Electric Theatre

Matinee, at 3:00. Night 7:30 and 9:00. Admission 10c and 30c

TONIGHT ONLY—FLORENCE VIDOR and EDWARD EVERETT HORTON, in "MARRY ME." Also a two reel western, FRED HUMES, in "CALL OF THE HAZARD."

MONDAY AND TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 8th and 9th—

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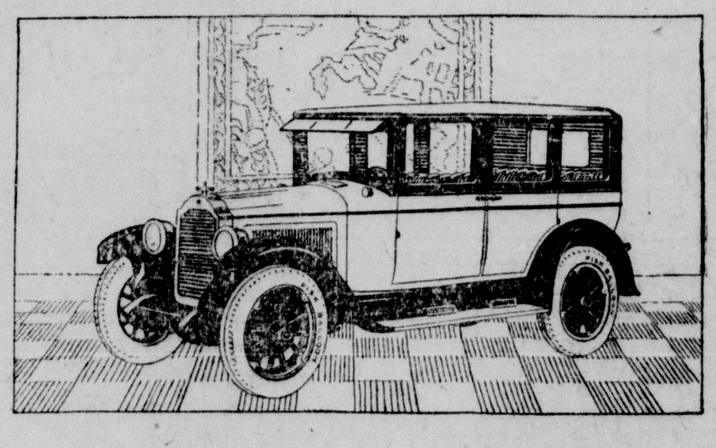

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